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THE WEATHER.

WASHINGTON, June 8.

The indications for Maine, New Hampshire and Vermont are generally fair weather, slightly cooler.

The indications for New England are generally fair weather, slightly cooler, north westerly winds becoming variable.

LOCAL WEATHER REPORT.
PORTLAND, Me., June 7, 1886.

	7 A M	11 A M	3 P M	7 P M	11 P M
Barometer	30.145	30.116	30.044	29.986	29.901
Therm'r.	57.8	66.8	63.5	56.5	54.3
Dew Point	52.8	56.6	51.5	53.5	54.1
Humidity	83·5	69.6	65.0	90.0	99.2
Wind.....	SE	SE	S	S	SW
Velocity...	3	7	20	11	12
Weather..	Clear	Clear	Clear	Cloudy	Foggy

Mean daily bar...	30.030	Maximum ther...	66.6
Mean daily ther..	58.5	Minimum ther....	50.4
Mean daily d'w pt.	52.8	Max. vel. wind.....	22 S
Mean daily hum....	82.6	Total precip.....	0

METEOROLOGICAL REPORT.
(June 7, 1886, 10.00 P. M.)

Observations taken at the same moment of time at all stations.

Place of Observation.	Height of the Barometer.	Thermo'ter Exposed.	Thermo'ter Change in last 24 hours.	Wind Direction.	Wind Velocity.	State of the Weather.
New London	30.04	57	−1	S	Lt	Foggy
Boston, Mass	29.99	60	−3	SW	10	Cloudy
Eastport, Me	30.01	46	x3	S	6	Cloudy
N. Westport, Ma	30.03	54	x2	SW	15	Cloudy
Portland, Me	29.92	54	−1	S	11	Cloudy
Albany, N. Y	29.95	68	−2	W	11	H Rain
New York	30.04	70	−3	SW	11	Foggy
Norfolk, Va.	30.06	70	−6	SE	Lt	Fair
Philadelphia	30.04	68	x1	SW	10	Cloudy
Washington	30.06	73	x3	E	7	Cloudy
Atlanta, Ga	30.03	71	x2	E	7	Cloudy
Charleston	30.00	77	x1	SE	8	Clear
Jacksonville	30.00	79	x1	SE	6	Fair
Savannah, Ga	30.04	77	x5	SE	6	Fair
New Orleans	29.91	71	−1	E	Lt	Cloudy
Cincinnati, O	30.04	73	−6	SW	Lt	Fair
Memphis	29.93	70	−6	SE	Lt	LRain
Pittsburg	30.03	71	x12	NW	Lt	Clear
Buffalo, N. Y.	30.00	56	−11	W	7	Clear
Cleveland	30.10	60	−9	E	7	Clear
Detroit	30.10	62	−4	NE	9	Clear
Oswego	30.10	54	−10	W	6	Cloudy
Alpena, Mich	30.12	50	x1	W	4	Cloudy
Chicago, Ills	30.14	52	−11	NE	7	Clear
Duluth, Minn	30.20	43	x3	NE	4	Clear
Marquette	30.16	40	−23	W	Lt	Clear
Milwaukee	30.14	48	−13	N	6	Clear
St. Paul, Minn	29.97	52	0	E	6	Clear
St. Paul, Minn	30.02	61	0	E	Lt	Clear
Omaha, Neb	29.94	73	x9	SE	Lt	Fair
Bismarck, D. T	29.84	70	x5	Calm	Lt	Cloudy
St. Vincent	29.93	60	x7	S	6	Fair
Denver	29.95	69	x3	NW	Lt	Fair
Cheyenne	29.79	62	−3	SE	4	Clear
El Paso	29.76	69	−4	E	Lt	Th'ty
Yankton	29.86	70	x1	S	9	Fair
Deadwood	29.83	60	−3	SW	Lt	Clear

B. A. KINNEY,
Private, Signal Corps, U. S. A.

MAINE.

Delegates to the Farmers' Congress.

[Special to the Press.]

AUGUSTA, June 7.—In accordance with instructions from the president of the Farmers' National Congress, these delegates have been appointed to represent this State at the next session of the Congress in St. Paul, Minn., on August 23d:

First District—A. L. Moore, Limerick; L. B. Dennett, Portland.

Second District—Hon. Rufus Prince, Turner; J. W. Lang, Bowdoinham.

Third District—H. C. Burleigh, Vassalboro; A. I. Brown, Belfast.

Fourth District—Prof. Walter Balentine, Orono; Hon. Edward Wiggin, Presque Isle.

At Large—Prof. W. H. Jordan, Orono; W. P. Atkerton, Hallowell; J. M. Deering, Saco; Z. A. Gilbert, Greene.

A New Temperance Organization.

FARMINGTON, June 7.—Mrs. L. M. N. Stevens, president of the Maine branch of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, spoke last evening before a large audience at a union temperance meeting in the Methodist Church upon the work of women in the temperance cause.

This afternoon she organized a branch in Farminton with the following officers: President, Mrs. O. M. Jennings; vice president, Mrs. F. V. Stewart, Mrs. J. A. Richards, Mrs. A. M. Reynolds, Miss Jennie Hoyt; secretary, Mrs. J. W. Fairbanks; recording secretary, Miss Mattie Norcross; treasurer, Mrs. A. J. Odell.

A Fatal Accident.

FORT FAIRFIELD, June 7.—An infant of Mr. Bagley, of Caribou, was killed here yesterday by a carriage upsetting.

Sympatny for Ireland.

BANGOR, June 7.—A large and enthusiastic meeting in favor of home rule was held this evening, presided over by Chief Justice Peters. Ex-Vice President Hamlin and ex-Chief Justice Appleton were among the vice presidents. Mayor Neally called the meeting to order. All the speakers expressed sympathy with the movement. Resolutions were adopted to the same effect.

FIRE RECORD.

A $10,000 Blaze.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., June 7.—Fire broke out at 3.50 this morning, behind the stage of the new Grand Theatre, and in a short time the entire block of buildings was in flames. The block was occupied by Joseph Camazzi, Messrs. Hoke & Hughes, Brinkworth's restaurant, J. R. Gatel's lottery office, and the Kentucky School of Medicine. The theatre was in the rear of these. All of the interior of the theatre, the rear of the building occupied by the School of Medicine, the restaurant on Jefferson street, and the rear of Camazzi's fruit store and barber shop on Jefferson street, were burned; out. The theatre was one of the finest in the West or South. The block was valued at $10,000, and is a complete loss, the Green street front, which was occupied by the medical school, being all that remains standing. Shortly after 5 o'clock, the fire was under control, and a few hours later extinguished.

Ex-President Arthur's Condition.

NEW YORK, June 7.—During the past few weeks Ex-President Arthur has not shown any material change in his condition. He is extremely sensitive to the weather, and the warmth of summer has not had a beneficial effect upon him. He has gained nothing in flesh and his nerve tonic is still of a very delicate nature. He is patient and gives little trouble to his attendants. He is anxious to get away from New York and spend at least a part of the summer in the country, and if it is decided to be safe for him to make the journey, his desire will be gratified. A number of places have been talked of for the Ex-President's retreat, and while no decision has been arrived at, New London seems to be the spot which is most likely to be chosen.

Bates College.

G. W. Snow, of Milo, has taken the prize for the best essay by a member of the Sophomore class.

The new college "yell" is B-A-T-E-S, rah, rah, rah. Boom-alaka-Boom-alaka-Boom-Bates-Boom.

A larger and more enthusiastic crowd probably never thronged the lower Maine Central station than that which had assembled at the arrival of the 7.30 p. m. train from Brunswick on Saturday to greet the nine for their victory over Colby. The nine were taken from the cars and borne on the shoulders of jubilant classmates to the barge "Fairview," which, with the city band, had been engaged for the occasion. The ladies of the college showed their rejoicing by being present in barouches. The nine were drawn through the principal streets by the "boys" a long rope being attached to the wagon. Fireworks were displayed from several of the stores on Lisbon St. The Professors' houses and many others were brilliantly illuminated and the victors were heartily cheered. A supper was tendered to the ball team by their friends at the Exchange Hotel.

A BIG BLAZE

At Pittston and Farmingdale.

Several Large Ice Houses Destroyed.

The Loss Estimated at Upwards of $500,000.

GARDINER, June 7.—The most destructive fire in this vicinity since Gardiner's big fire of 1882, broke out at 4.30 o'clock this afternoon, in the elevator connected with the extensive ice houses of Bodwell & Allen in Pittston. The flames spread with astonishing rapidity, and in less than fifteen minutes the buildings were completely destroyed. The fire then leaped the street to the two dwelling houses belonging to Bodwell & Allen, and occupied by tenants. The dwelling owned and occupied by Postmaster J. R. Goodwin was next consumed. While the whole endeavors of the fire department were concentrated in saving the large steam saw mill of Putnam & Closson, which was almost surrounded by towering flames, it was suddenly discovered that the wind, which at this time was blowing strongly from the southeast, had carried the flames across the Kennebec, and the entire roof of what is known as the South Knickerbocker ice houses at Farmingdale was already burning briskly. The excitement now became intense, as here was located a long line of ice houses, while across the road, only a few rods away, were a large number of fine residences, extending some distance up the river The fire department of Gardiner was now full of activity, and assistance had been sent for to South Gardiner, Hallowell and Augusta. By this time everything combustible within reach of the flames at the starting point in Pittston, had been destroyed. From the south houses of the Knickerbocker Company the flames spread nearly to the adjacent buildings known as the Marshall houses, and before these were fairly burning it was discovered the flames had again crossed the river, and houses in Chelsea belonging to the same company had also taken fire. Little or nothing could be done towards saving the buildings already burning, and the efforts of the fire department were wholly directed to the protection of the residences in Farmingdale. A tenement house, owned by P. G. Bradstreet, was completely gutted. The fire, which had been burning but an hour and a half, destroyed upwards of a quarter of a million dollars worth of property. It is now under control, though a slight freshening of the wind might at any moment carry it to the residences beyond and the other ice houses a short distance up the river. At 7.30 o'clock, however, all danger was passed. The losses are about as follows: Knickerbocker Ice Company of Philadelphia, lose the Farmingdale buildings, $80,000, and 42,000 tons of ice; the Chelsea buildings, $25,000, and 25,000 tons of ice. Bodwell & Allen lose the Pittston buildings, $33,000, but no ice. J. R. Goodwin, dwelling house in Pittston, $1500. P. G. Bradstreet, tenement house in Farmingdale, $1000. The insurance on the Knickerbocker property is placed at Philadelphia. It is impossible to estimate it here. Bodwell & Allen are insured in various companies for $15,000. The loss on the other property is fairly covered by insurance.

THE FISHERY DISPUTE.

HALIFAX, June 7.—Minister of Marine and Fisheries Foster has been seen at Halifax in relation to the conduct of the collector of customs at St. John, N. B., in refusing to allow American merchant vessels to purchase herring to be canned as sardines. He has directed that any American vessel not a fisherman may enter any Dominion port and purchase fish of every kind for transportation to any port in the United States.

It is quite probable that the Ella M. Doughty will be bonded and returned to her owners immediately. Consul General Phelan is endeavoring to have it done. The schooner Francis E. Conrad of the fish police fleet still lies at the marine and fisheries wharf awaiting orders.

At Cape Island, inside of Cape Sable, several United States fishermen sought to buy bait Friday, but the natives refused to trade. The seiners, however, set their own seines and caught their own bait.

LONDON, June 7.—George Osborne Morgan, Under Colonial Secretary, stated in reply to inquiries in the House of Commons this evening that the government had received a communication from the government of the United States in relation to the seizure by the Dominion authorities of the American fishing schooners, Ella M. Adams and Ella M. Doughty. He said, however, that pending the result of friendly negotiations which are at present being conducted between Great Britain, United States and Canada, respecting the disputes the government did not feel at liberty to publish the communication.

THE PRESIDENT FISHING.

Mrs. Cleveland Also Casts a Line—Details of All Their Movements.

DEER PARK, June 7.—The President got up early this morning and he and Colonel Lamont went fishing in Deep Creek, at Mr. Delawder's fishing grounds. Mrs. Cleveland and Mrs. Lamont will probably fish this afternoon in a little stream just north of the railway track here. Mrs. Cleveland is enthusiastic over the sport, and the two ladies will probably be accompanied by Mrs. Brown a sister of Mrs. Elkins, who is an old friend of Mrs. Cleveland. Mr. Elkins will arrive here tonight and Senator Davis, who went away this morning, and he will probably take the party to the mountains tomorrow. The return of the President will depend altogether on his own wishes, and as yet he has given no intimation of his intentions. The reporters were notified this morning, however, that they will be notified before the depature, and this is not set down earlier than Wednesday. Colonel and Mrs. Lamont will remain until tonight or early tomorrow morning. Colonel brought no official papers with him, and the President intends to keep to his determination to do no work while here. There is a probability that the Cheat River, about 20 miles away, will be visited before the party returns. Senator Davis said today that Mrs. Cleveland caught some fish on Saturday, and that the statements to the contrary were untrue.

A delegation from Oakland is expected here this afternoon to call on the President, having been encouraged by the reports that the President was not so exclusive as he was on the first day.

MAXWELL'S CASE.

The Murderer Says He Will Yet Be Acquitted.

ST. LOUIS, June 7.—When a reporter called upon Maxwell in his cell in jail Sunday he found the man stretched upon his bed reading a book. When asked how he liked the transfer from the former cell to the murderer's row, he replied, "I like the change very much. It is much more quiet up here and I don't have so many callers to bother me."

"Does the verdict weigh heavily on your mind," asked the reporter.

"No sir. The only way in which the verdict effects me is to cause a postponement of certain arrangements. I was almost certain of an aquittal."

"What were those arrangements?"

"Well when I was given my liberty I was going to either lecture or to enter a dime museum in order to earn enough money to pay Peeler's heirs in England the money I had taken from him, and to take me back to Hyde where I was going to engage in the practice of law with my brother. All this will be off for some little time. When I get my new trial I am sure I will be acquitted."

The Knights of Labor.

CHICAGO, June 7.—A Cleveland, O., special asserts that the local leaders of the Knights of Labor in that city regard the end of the order in its present form as very near. They say that Mr. Powderly has been conquered by the home club clique and that his recent denials of trouble in the organization are not calculated to strengthen him with the conservative element. The candidate at Richmond, Va., in October next, it is asserted, will be Tom Barry of Michigan. He will be likely to lead the anti-home clubbers. The trades union delegates, sent to Cleveland to straighten out the troubles between the union and the Knights of Labor, left with no satisfaction. In this it is also said that the home club's influence predominated. It turns out that its policy is to down the trades union and centralize all power in the Knights. A break is predicted in less than six months, and it is asserted that leading trade unionists will be with the conservatives against the home club.

FROM WASHINGTON.

The Anti-Oleomargarine Bill.

The Friends of the Measure Secure Their First Victory.

Congratulations for Congressman Reed.

[Special to the PRESS.]

WASHINGTON, June 7.—The friends of the anti-oleomargarine bill secured their first victory in the Senate today over the question of reference. Its opponents desired to have it referred to the committee on finance, where, in all probability, it would have remained, and it was generally thought they would be successful. Sharp debate arose, lasting over an hour. It was participated in by Messrs. Morrill, Aldrich, Beck, McPherson, Maxey and Butler in behalf of reference to the finance committee, and Messrs. Miller, Blair and Van Wyck in behalf of its reference to the committee on agriculture, at the close of which, by a vote of 22 to 21, the bill was referred to the committee on agriculture. The total vote was so small and the majority in favor of reference to the agriculture committee so narrow, that it is perhaps hardly safe to consider it as a test vote indicating that the bill will be finally passed, but it gives the supporters of the bill strong ground to hope that such a result may be reached. The bill will probably not be reported from the committee for several days.

Congressman Reed returned this morning. He was the recipient of many hearty congratulations from his brother members upon his renomination.

Resignation of a Foreign Minister.

F. H. Winston, United States Minister to Persia, soon after reaching Teheran, forwarded his resignation to Washington. The Secretary of State today telegraphed him notice of its acceptance.

Of Interest to Pensioners.

The Commissioner of Pensions has addressed the following letter to a claimant under the widow's pension act of March 19, 1886:

"I have to advise you that all widows and others now on the pension rolls of the various agencies whose pensions have been increased to $12 per month by virtue of the act of March 19, 1886, will receive the amount due them up to the 4th inst., with the checks for the regular June payment. It will not be necessary that any application shall be made or any certificates issued for the continuation of this rate of $12, which the pension office will do without any action whatever on the part of pensioners."

THE LABOR QUESTION.

The New York Strikers Threaten Violence.

A Lock Out at Dover, N. H.

Trouble With Railroad Men at Chicago.

Locked Out.

DOVER, N. H., June 7.—Two weeks ago the Knights of Labor submitted a new price list for lasters and helpers to George P. Wentworth, a shoe manufacturer of this city. After some delay he accepted the list, but when they got the first week's pay they found he did not pay fully what he had agreed, as they looked at it. He claims, however, that he paid what he understood he agreed to pay. The lasters and helpers were ordered out by the Knights. Today Mr. Wentworth shut down the entire shop, thus locking out all hands. He says he will not submit to the Knights on any consideration.

The New York Strike.

NEW YORK, June 7.—There has been no action taken by District Assembly No. 75 in regard to the Third Avenue strike. A meeting of the executive board was held yesterday. District Assembly No. 75 will meet tonight to take action on the strike, and to depose the leaders who they say have betrayed them. The place of meeting will be secret. The strikers are exasperated and threaten violence to the members of the executive board.

Another Strike.

WHITMAN, Mass., June 7.—Workmen employed by the Boston Belting Company struck Monday morning for $2 per day. They have been receiving $1.75. It is expected that all the men employed by the town in other sections will leave work. The road commissioners are placed in rather an uncomfortable position. The town, at a recent meeting, voted a much smaller appropriation for this year's work than previous years past, and much work is called for to place the highway and bridges in proper condition Neither the road commissioners nor the men show any signs of giving in.

The Rock Island Railway Trouble.

CHICAGO, June 7.—The Rock Island Railway Company succeeded in moving the four cars and nails made by nonunion workmen this afternoon, consigned to it at Cummings. The rails were soaped, but this occasioned no serious delay. When the engine started out with the cars, a few of the strikers carrying children deliberately seated themselves on the railroad tracks, but were removed by the police before the approach of the engine.

Eight Persons Smothered and Burned To Death.

CHICAGO, June 7.—Eight persons were smothered and burned to death in the frame houses Nos. 731 and 733 South Canal street, at 4 o'clock this morning. The names of the dead are Michael Murphy aged 50, Mrs. Murphy aged 35, Annie Murphy aged nine, Nellie Murphy aged 12, Mrs. Mary Durkin aged 30, Patsy Lavin aged four, John Durkin an infant, and William Hand aged 68. The fire broke out in the cellar of No. 733 South Canal street. It spread with frightful rapidity and soon both structures were enveloped in a mass of flame. Both houses were filled with smoke before any of the occupants were aroused.

Many of the sleepers were doubtless smothered in their beds. The flames, following rapidly after the smoke, burned the bodies until they were unrecognizable. The lower floor of No. 733 was occupied by John Raleigh, Jr. His wife was awakened by the smoke and she aroused her husband, who hastily donned a few articles of clothing, threw up a window, caught his wife in his arms and threw her through the flames to the street. Her night dress caught fire, but with great presence of mind she extinguished the flames with her hands without assistance to her husband in saving the lives of their two small children. In the meantime the fire had gained additional headway. Raleigh was unable to put the children out of the same window, and so catching the babies in his arms he ran up stairs and jumped with them from the second story. The second floor of 733 was occupied by the Dunklin and Murphy families. No member of either of these families escaped. The firemen in searching the ruins of the house came upon most harrowing scenes. Some of the victims were lying in half burned beds, and others, who were awakened before death came, were clutching each other in groups on the floor. They were all evidently overcome by smoke before any effort could be made to escape.

A Mr. Hand occupied the upper floor with his wife, children and father. They were aroused by the smell of smoke. The young man caught up the children and jumped from the second story window with them, after assisting his wife to the street. He wanted to help his father down but the old gentleman insisted on his jumping with the children. The aged and decreped form of the old gentleman was seen at the window a moment and then it disappeared just as he was about to leap. The raging fire prevented an effort for his rescue. The lower floor of No. 731 was occupied by a man named McGuire who kept a grocery store. All of his family were saved. It is believed that the fire was the work of an incendiary. It was first seen by a watchman in a brewery near by, who started at once to alarm the occupants. When in the rear of the burning house he met a man who said: "There is a fire you had better turn an alarm." The man disappeared up the alley. The watchman could not identify him if he should see him again. This is the third time the place has been set on fire.

News from West Point.

WEST POINT, N. Y., June 7.—Rev. Kemp P. Battle, LL. D., of North Carolina, has arrived, and the board of visitors is now complete. Major E. C. Boynton of Newburgh, formerly Adjutant General of the military academy, has discovered all the original copies of the official orders to the army issued at West Point during the Revolution. They throw light on many disputed questions, and comparatively few of them have ever been published. Major Boynton found them in possession of a Vermont family, who attached no particular importance to them. Major Boynton is the author of a "History of West Point."

FOREIGN.

Defeat of the Home Rule Bill,

After an Exciting Debate.

Parnell Makes an Eloqnent Appeal for the Bill.

An Unprecedented Scene in the House of Commons.

[BULLETIN.]

LONDON, June 7.—The government is defeated by a majority of thirty, on the second reading of the home rule bill.

LONDON, June 7.—The Fenian leadsr' Thomas Clark Luby, publishes a letter in London saying, "If Gladstone's home rule fails, so much the worse for England. She will be compelled later on to concede home rule to Ireland and then will get no gratitude in return. Ireland's future is safe. The good feeling of the whole world and justice are on her side. Personally I have no objection to seeing this strife between England and Ireland honorably ended."

Rev. Joseph Parker, D. D., pastor of the City Temple at London, publishes a letter on the home rule bill in which he says: "As several non-conformists have delivered judgment on the government's Irish policy may I venture to say how heartily and gratefully I support the dignified and generous attitude assumed by Mr. Gladstone. From what I hear on every hand Mr. Gladstone has nothing to fear from an appeal to the country. I never knew how great the home rule bill was until I had heard the arguments of its most determined opponents. I pity the Marquis of Salisbury's position. I deplore Lord Hartington's, and I cannot either approve or understand Mr. Chamberlain's, If the candidates for membership in the House of Commons expect to secure non-conformist support by opposing this home rule bill they make a profound mistake."

At noon today 100 seats had been secured by Hatting for the debate on the home rule bill tonight. Chamberlain's reply to Labouchere's appeal to him to abstain from voting tonight in order to save the principle of Gladstone's bill has favorably affected dissidents, who now claim they expect a majority of twenty against the bill.

Gladstone entered the House of Commons at 4.50 this afternoon and proceeded straight to his seat. When his presence was noticed he was greeted with prolonged Liberal cheering. The House as Commons was crowded to its utmost capacity at the hour of the opening of the session. Gladstone, replying to the question, said the government by all the leaders of promise to incorporate the measures for home rule government in England, Wales and Scotland, in the revised Irish home rule bill when it should be brought in, during the autumn session in the event of its passing its second reading now. The opposition loudly cheered John Bright and Lord Hartington as they entered and took their places.

Right Hon. Mr. George J. Goschen (Liberal) resumed the debate on the home rule bill. He said the sovereignty of the Imperial Parliament demanded clauses which it was highly probable the majority of the House would never consent to if the bill passed. A terrible struggle would be inaugurated by the Catholic clergy of Ireland for the control of education in that country. It had been elicited in various letters which had passed between the Premier and his followers that reconstrunce of the bill was the basis on which many members would unite in voting with the government on the measure which every one admitted was the most important ever submitted to Parliament. The Premier is now strenuous to secure from his supporters what they will authorize him to give than he is to insist upon knowing what Parliament will accept. (Cheers.) No hope had been tendered that chance to see anything the shape of a religious discord incited. Indeed I would not say that as a Protestant myself if I had not had an abundant experience of the feeling in Ireland I might not perhaps be inclined to share his fears; but as it is I certainly have no such fear. It is, however, very hard to please everybody, and if we have to choose between Mr. Chamberlain by agreeing to give education to the control of the body which Gladstone proposes to establish, we would be unfortunate in running foul of Mr. Chamberlain. I think I may assure that we shall be able to handle this question of education very well among ourselves. (Cheers).

Referring to the importance generally attached to the stand taken by Ulsterites, Parnell showed by figures, that instead of ranking first among the Irish counties for various interests, Ulster really ranked less than third.

Speaking of references to Ulster, Parnell said: "One would think that Protestant Ireland was going to be handed over to the tender mercies of Thugs and Assassins." (Hear, Hear!) I only wish I was as safe in the north of Ireland when I go there as Major Sandarson would be in the south. (Home Rule cheers.) What do these gentlemen mean by the protection of the loyal minority? In the first place I would ask what they mean by loyal minority. Ulster Ireland does not seem to have made up his mind even at this late stage of the debate what a loyal minority is. When asked he said he meant the minority represented by Mr. Gladstone referred to, but he would not commit himself by telling us what significance he attributed to Gladstone's statement. I have examined Gladstone's reference since then and can find that Gladstone referred to the whole province of Ulster." Parnell attacked Chamberlain's plan of a separate parliament in Ulster to show that it would take from the majority of the Irish their just representation, and said that in the great experiment proposed by Gladstone every Irish vote was needed.

Parnell continued his speech at some length, and the debate was closed by Gladstone. There was an unprecedented scene in the House after the vote was taken, and the excitement was at fever pitch.

Political Excitement in London.

LONDON, June 7—The political excitement throughout England and especially in London today was very great. Politicians of all parties are preparing for a general election with much more vigor than has heretofore been witnessed. A large number of Tory aspirants for seats in the House of Commons are retiring in favor of Liberal Unionist candidates in districts where a joint poll of Conservatives vote with that of the anti-Gladstone Whigs will probably secure the election of Unionists.

C. A. R.

Comander Lane, of the Department of Maine, has issued an address to comrades who intend to visit San Francisco and be present at the National Encampment. The departure from Portland will be on July 22d, from Chicago to San Francisco the route will be by the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul and the Union and Central Pacific railways, including side trips to Denver, Col., and to Salt Lake City; returning by the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe., or the Southern or Northern Pacific railways, at the option of comrades. The round trip railroad ticket from Portland and return, is at present stated at $88. It is confidently believed that the rate will be considerably lower by July 22d. The Maine Central Railroad Company will give one fare from all points on line of road to Portland and return. Comrades returning by the Northern Pacific railroad must pay $12.50 additional for steamship trip from San Francisco, Cal., to Portland, Ore., which includes stateroom and meals. A double berth in sleeping car from Portland to San Francisco costs $22; a section $44. Two persons can comfortably occupy a berth. Comrades intending to make the trip will please notify department headquarters at once, in order that all circulars on the subject may be mailed to them direct as soon as issued. Comrades desiring sleeping car and hotel accommodations should apply to department headquarters for the same at once.

Star Line Steamboat Company.

This line has added an early morning trip which must prove of great convenience. See advertisement.

Memorial Thanks.

HEADQUARTERS LARRY POST, NO. 57,
DEPARTMENT MAINE, G. A. R.,
SO. WINDHAM, June 5th., 1886.

At a regular meeting of the Post, holden this evening, a unanimus vote of thanks was accorded Rev. Samuel T. Dole, for delivering an oration, Mrs. Phebe C. Dole, for reading an original poem, members of No. Windham brass band, for music gratitously furnished through the day, the ladies of No. Windham for the bountiful collation served to comrades of the Post after the memorial exercises at that place, the citizens of No. Gorham for the appetite tempting dinner laid for our benefit, to Mr. C. A. Lawerance, Mrs. Hannah Mitchell, Mrs. Eudora T. Swett and Mrs. Annie Cameron, for plants and flowers furnished, and their arrangement in the church, the several quartette clubs for vocal music, the Sabbath Schools and citizens generally for flowers and assistance in procession and at cemeteries. Citizens your kindness will not be forgotten.

Per order. GEO. R. READ,
Post Adjutant.

LIMBO.

An Historic Person of Gorham and Fryeburg.

To the Editor of the Press:

As an observer and listener to the interesting exercises at Gorham, at their recent celebration, I was surprised while hearing the stories of early settlers; of those prominent, or those in humble life; of white citizens, and also those held as slaves, that the name of "Limbo" was not mentioned. He was an early resident of Gorham, and a few years later was among the earliest pioneer settlers in Fryeburg. He was the slave of Wm. McLellan, and is referred to in Elijah Kellogg's "A Strong Arm and a Mother's Blessing," and in H. D. McLellan's (unpublished) history of Gorham.

Limbo was quite an old man when they began to agitate the proposition to liberate the slaves of Massachusetts. About this time the comeouters and new lights were in full blast in Gorham; universal freedom and universal liberty for every man to do just what he pleased seemed to be the hobby of most of them. Limbo was very fond of going to their meetings. They persuaded him to run away. At first he was unwilling. One Sunday morning, he was met in his little piece of

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A REPUBLICAN STATE CONVENTION

WILL BE HELD IN

CITY HALL, LEWISTON,

Wednesday, June 9, 1886, at 11 o'clock a. m.,

For the purpose of nominating a candidate for Governor to be supported at the September election, and transacting any other business that may properly come before it.

The basis of representation will be as follows: Each city, town and plantation will be entitled to one delegate, and for each seventy-five votes cast for the Republican candidate for Governor in 1884 an additional delegate, and for a fraction of forty votes in excess of seventy-five votes, an additional delegate.

The State Committee will be in session in the Reception Room of the Hall at nine o'clock on the morning of the Convention, for the purpose of receiving the credentials of delegates.

All electors of Maine who are in favor of maintaining a Protective Tariff; who will join in resisting the attempt now being made in a Democratic House of Representatives to injure many of the leading industrial interests of Maine; who are in favor of elevating and dignifying human labor by securing to the laborer his just reward; who demand freedom of suffrage throughout the republic and an honest counting of the ballots; who uphold all judicious measures for the encouragement of American shipbuilding; who believe in an honest and responsible civil service and in an economical administration of the Government; who approve the Prohibition of the Liquor Traffic and the promotion of the cause of Temperance, are cordially invited, without regard to past political differences, to unite with the Republicans in the selection of delegates to this Convention.

Per order Republican State Committee.

JOSEPH H. MANLEY, Chairman.
WILLIS H. WING, Secretary.
Augusta, Me., April 16, 1886.

Certain Democratic liquor sellers of Ohio have formed an association to resist the new law, which taxes each saloon $200 a year. They call their league the Utopia Association. Individual members are probably addressed as "you-topers."

De Lesseps and his associates are worrying as to whether the sea will be found higher at the western end of the canal than at the eastern. French investors are troubling about whether Panama stock will be as high at the latter part of the enterprise as it was at the first.

Referring to Lord Salisbury's charge that he quoted him incorrectly, Mr. Blaine says: "I quoted the substance of a dispatch from London, which had been circulating in England and in the United States for several days without contradiction or qualification from Lord Salisbury. The political opponents of Lord Salisbury in Parliament maintain that I quoted him correctly. His lordship had ample time to withdraw or deny the statement before it became the subject of criticism and fell under public condemnation."

Some Western newspapers are telling their readers that the Democratic candidate for Governor of Maine put himself at the head of less than a dozen men and captured a whole brigade who thought he was heavily supported. But the State of Maine cannot be taken by any such trick. The support is known full better than the leader.

The name of the Democratic candidate for governor is Clark S. Edwards. We make this statement for the benefit of the Boston Herald and Bangor Commercial, who are calling him Col. Clark. If the Democracy should go to voting for Col. Clark this fall they might miss that great victory they profess to be so sanguine about, as Chairman Brown will not be in the returning board to correct blunders.

It is not hard to find the reasons of the inconsistent and rash actions of the association of New York car drivers and conductors. In the general sessions court in the metropolis last week a spruce ly attired man with a costly gold watch chain was put under bonds of $1000 on charge of stealing. He was lately the leader of the Third Avenue strikers. The strikers would profit, if the law should get its clutches on more of their leaders.

A despatch to the Boston Advertiser reiterates the statement which recently appeared in the Boston Record, that the Democrats were trying to induce Dr. Bashford to run for Congress, and adds that he holds the matter under advisement. We don't believe that Dr. Bashford is likely to consent to become the candidate of a party that has just made official proclamation through its State convention that—

We oppose sumptuary laws which vex the citizens and interfere with individual liberty.

The Board of Aldermen recently refused to license the skating rinks in the city proper on the ground that they were demoralizing. Last night they licensed a skating rink on Peak's Island. Is a skating rink on Peak's Island any less demoralizing than a skating rink on Federal street, and if so why? It looks to the average citizen as if the Aldermen had been guilty of a gross inconsistency. Possibly, however, some reasonable explanation of the performance can be given. If so, the Aldermen ought to lose no time in giving it.

The secretary of the Yale College faculty declares that Yale students will not be allowed to take part in intercollegiate base ball games next year. This is because the celebration of victories has turned New Haven up-side-down several times recently. But in Maine a judicious patronage of base ball has proved so successful that men have rushed from the affairs of business to college halls as precipitately as Putnam left his plow for the battlefield. Nor has any college won enough victories yet to threaten serious disturbances.

The friends of the bill granting to the Indians land in severalty—and they are legion—are fearful lest the measure will be neglected until the last days of Congress, and then in the rush and hurry incident to the close of the session, be pushed one side and fail to become a law. Nothing but the pressure of public opinion can avert such a calamity, its friends believe. If that can avert it it ought to be exerted, for the bill is an important one, and will prove a long step in the right direction in the way of settling one of the most difficult problems the government has to deal with.

About once a session there is a fuss in the House over some speech that has been smuggled into the Congressional Record without delivery. Just now a breeze is raised by the appearance in that journal of a twenty-five column attack upon Edwin M. Stanton by Mr. Wheeler of Alabama. What ought to be done is to exclude everything from the Record but what is said in the House; but there are so many Congressmen who would never get a chance to ventilate their ideas of matters and things if this rule were adopted, that there is little probability of the present custom being abandoned.

The election in Oregon which occurred yesterday attracted more attention than contests in that State usually do, because of some peculiar features. There were three tickets in the field—Republican, Democratic and Prohibition—and though the State is generally Republican there was a good deal of uncertainty concerning yesterday's result, because of the dissatisfaction in the Republican ranks with the Republican ticket. The Portland Oregonian, the leading Republican paper was in open revolt, and was supporting the Prohibition ticket, which, it was predicted, would poll from 2,000 to 3,000 votes against 42 at the last election.

The case of the Sisters and the case of the Monterey, referred to in our yesterday's despatches, are not exactly similar, their offences not being precisely the same. But as we pointed out some time ago, there is no doubt that the Treasury Department does in some cases discriminate against our own vessels and in favor of foreign vessels. The Sisters was allowed to ask remission of the penalty for entering port without a manifest before she had paid it. Had she been an American vessel she would have been obliged to pay the fine before she could apply to the Secretary of the Treasury for a remission of the whole or a part of it. Certainly here is a discrimination against American vessels. The reason of it we do not know. Probably, however, it is assumed that American vessels have better facilities to become acquainted with our custom house regulations than foreign vessels, and therefore that their violation of them is more culpable.

INTOLERABLE TYRANNY.

Three times within a few months all the surface railroads in New York have been tied up by strikes of their employes. The first time there was general public sympathy with the strikers because they made complaints which were well founded. They were underpaid and overworked and the public was glad to see them succeed in compelling the companies to raise their wages and reduce their hours. But in this latest strike the situation was reversed. The drivers and conductors were not underpaid or overworked, neither did they pretend that they were. Yet at the order of a few men constituting what is called the executive board of the Empire Protective Association all of them deserted their cars and left the public to go on foot. Not one of them professed to have a grievance. But they were ordered to strike by the organization to which they belonged and their oath compelled them to obey.

What were the grounds on which this strike was ordered? Simply these. Some time ago the Third Avenue company refused to discharge a half dozen drivers at the request of the Empire Protective Association who asked it because the men did not belong to the union and had spoken disrespectfully of the Knights of Labor, and the employes struck in a body. A contest ensued extending over several weeks. Finally the company succeeded in filling the places of the strikers and running its cars as usual. Finding themselves defeated the strikers resorted to the "boycott", that is, they concluded to tie up all the lines in New York, Brooklyn and Jersey City in the hope that the public or the other railroad companies would exert sufficient pressure on the Third Avenue line to compel it to yield.

It is evident that as long as workingmen are willing to bind themselves by oath to strike for such a purpose as this, it is no use to talk about arbitration or mutual agreements between employer and employed, for no employer can guarantee to his employes that the relations between every other employer and his employes shall be satisfactory, and yet this he must do before he can be certain that his own workmen will not leave him in the lurch. The relations between himself and his employes may be perfectly satisfactory, the latter may be content with the terms of their service, and yet if relations between some other employer and his employes are not satisfactory they are as much bound to strike when ordered to do so as if they had grievances of their own. They are obliged to espouse everybody's quarrel whether they have interest in it or not. No agreement with men so obligated can amount to anything, and no concessions made them, however sweeping, can ensure their fidelity. To all intents and purposes they are in slavery, and if called upon to do so by their masters—the executive board of the organization to which they belong—must sacrifice their own interests for the supposed interests of others. No intelligent workingman will long suffer himself to occupy such a humiliating position.

THE HOME RULE BILL DEFEATED.

Last night the English House of Commons decided that the home rule bill should not be read a second time. By a majority of thirty it put aside the scheme which Mr. Gladstone brought forward a few weeks ago as the best plan which his experienced statesmanship could devise for the permanent settlement of the Irish question. From the beginning of the contest Mr. Gladstone position has been remarkable. By personal influence he has endeavored to lead a great and inharmonious party to side with him on a question of the greatest magnitude; but a question to which the English people had previously given but little thought. For home rule for Ireland, although agitated by Parnell and in the press to some extent before the last general elections, had never been and was not then thought to be an issue of sufficient moment to call for a decision from the electors themselves. The danger of the church was the great cry of the last election; few if any voices were raised in behalf of the unity of the empire. So when Mr. Gladstone brought forward his home rule measure, he presented it to a House of Commons, most of whom could not know the exact sentiments of their constituents. The sentiment of the House was therefore uncertain. There were two elements, however, as to which there was no doubt. The Tories, or Conservatives, were against home rule; the Nationalists, or Parnell's party, were for it. The other element, the great Liberal party, led by Gladstone and marshalled by Chamberlain and Lord Hartington, was of uncertain sentiment because composed of differing factions.

The result has shown that Lord Hartington and many other moderate Liberals of aristocratic prejudices are against home rule; stranger still that Chamberlain and many radical Liberals are also against it. Stranger allies than voted together last night in the House of Commons could scarcely be imagined. On the one side were the Irish and the Gladstone Liberals, the bulk of the party's rank and file; on the other side were the Tories, autocrats by nature and supporters of privilege and royalty, and last the radical Liberals, who would do away with throne and nobility, who are even charged with the heresies of socialism. These strange confederates composed the nondescript mob that overthrew Mr. Gladstone in last night's division.

There are two courses now to be pursued. Mr. Gladstone may dissolve Parliament and order a new election. The issue in that election would be the home rule bill, and the new parliament would be competent to render a final decision. Or he may resign and allow his opponents to form a ministry. But a ministry supported by such diverse elements would be short-lived and vacillating, and totally unable to deal with a question so momentous as the government of Ireland. It would be merely a temporary expedient, to be followed by the inevitable general election. So whatever course Mr. Gladstone may pursue, a general election must take place before the question can be finally settled. The decision of that election will put the Irish question beyond the intrigues of politicians, and base it on the declared wish of the people of the empire.

CURRENT COMMENT.

COL. LAMONT AS A REPORTER.
N. Y. Sun.

Col. Daniel Lamont makes his debut as a reporter this morning. The report of the President's wedding is understood to be from his pen. For a maiden effort it does the Colonel great credit.—Portland Press.

This is a mistake. Col. Lamont was the industrious and able reporter of the Sun in 1880. That is the school where he learned how to make such a picturesque, philosophical and eloquent report of the President's fortunate and enviable marriage.

THE RIVAL YACHTS.
Springfield Republican.

Saturday's outing of the new yacht Mayflower, built at Boston by Gen. Payne to beat the newlyacht Atlantic at New York, proved a disappointment. Her suit of sails did not fit, but after making due allowances there is little to justify the hope that it can beat the Puritan. The schooner Gitana had little difficulty in flying away from the Mayflower on Saturday in sailing to Marblehead harbor. The first trip of the Atlantic upon the other hand was a great success. She proved herself superior to the Priscilla, and the preliminary contest seems to be narrowing itself down to this latest flower of metropolitan yachtmanship and last year's victor over the Genesta.

THE CAUSE OF TEMPERANCE.
N. Y. Tribune.

In almost every State there are some sincere and ardent temperance men who are, nevertheless, hostile to prohibition, and others who are themselves willing to vote for prohibition, but are not willing to make that issue the basis of all their action in politics, and to sacrifice every high and worthy aim in national and state affairs to this one purpose. The temperance cause will make progress a great deal faster if its most conspicuous advocates cease to treat these sincere friends in such fashion as to make them enemies. Without their aid a majority will never be obtained for any temperance measure or method. Their aid will not be secured by abuse, by contemptuous disregard of their convictions, or by trying to bully or beat them into submission.

THE CONSULAR SERVICE.
Providence Journal.

The means of improving the consular service, of making it, what it now is not, of some practical assistance to American trade, is by no means far to seek. The system of payment by fees, which tempts an underpaid consul to collusion with exporters in the matter of undervaluation, should be abolished; larger salaries and a more secure tenure of office must be guaranteed in order to obtain the services of capable, energetic officials; a better and more exhaustive system of consular reports should be devised, and appointments to consulships must cease to be mere rewards for political work and be given to men of special fitness and proved competency. These changes made, and the consular service will be worth something, will no longer be a mere bureau of recording agents.

THE MAINE DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION.
N. Y. Sun.

The convention complimented Mr. Cleveland in its resolutions, though there has been a good deal of dissatisfaction among the Pine Treers, as in other States, with his tenderness to Republican officeholders, and there had been some apprehension before the convention met that there might be an attempt to express that dissatisfaction. But who with a heart could find it in it to say aught against Grover C. on the very day of the blissful event? It was evident, all the same, from the speech of Mr. William H. Clifford, the chairman of the convention, that the Maine Democrats want the President to be liveliier in passing the offices around; and who knows but the bridegroom, returning to Washington in a seventh-heaven frame of mind, may be willing to make the Democrats happy, too, at last?

PERSONAL AND PECULIAR.

Several young ladies of Hingham, Mass., propose to make a tour through New England on foot during the approaching summer vacation.

A women's school of journalism has been opened in Detroit. The girls are to be taught type-setting, short-hand, revision of manuscript and proof-reading.

A French microscopist has studied the action of the various condiments on the tissues of the oyster, and recommends lemon juice as the most valuable, as it destroys the animalculæ infesting the stomach of the mollusk.

In order to keep an engagement in Washington, Mrs. F. B. Thurber travelled last week from Pittsburgh to Washington by special train within eight hours and fifteen minutes. The distance between the two cities is three hundred and four miles. The run was the fastest on record.

Miss Anne Whitney's portrait statue of Harriet Martineau is to be given to Wellesley College. It is of heroic size, and represents the great English woman and author as seated in a garden chair. It has been characterized as one of the great works of modern art, and was projected by Mrs. Marie Weston Chapman, at a cost of $15,000.

Dr. Valentine Mott has made several very successful experiments with inoculation for hydrophobia, and is now convinced that M. Pasteur has made one of the great discoveries of the age. He is beginning to treat cases, and is hopeful that a hospital for patients will soon be established in this country.

Mr. Martin Farquhar protests, in the preface to his autobiography, that he is a modest man; that praise, if consciously undeserved, only depresses him; that one of his unrversally recognized defects is a dislike to any assumption of dignity; and that if he is not true, simple and sincere, he is worse than he hopes he is.

An athletic clergyman speaks of the late Rev. Dr. E. N. Kirk, the Congregationalist divine, as, almost to the last weeks of his life, an enthusiastic boxer, who believed that the use of the gloves was a better exercise even than fencing. His habit was to give his strength freely to the sport; and on one occasion his friend saw him laughing with the blood streaming down his face.

In a recent address of welcome to the Czar and Czarina of Russia at Moscow, the Governor of that city expressed the hope that "Christ's cross will soon shine from St. Sophia." The church referred to is the Agia Sofia at Constantinople, and has been looked upon as the cradle of the Greek Church. It was founded by the Roman Emperor Constantine, and has been frequently rebuilt or renovated. It was transformed into a mosque by Mohammed I.

In view of the large number of criminal cases in which lawyers plead for their clients alcoholic dementia, the French government has instructed all the prefects in France to report on the effects of drunkenness in inciting to crime; and the French War Minister has instituted an inquiry into the action of liquor in reducing the height of young men, and debilitating them so as to render them unfit for military service.

Miss Kate Stoneman, the first woman ever admitted to practice in the courts of New York State, is the sister of Judge Stoneman, of the Supreme Court of Illinois, and of Governor Stoneman, of California, and the sister-in-law of ex-Senator Williams, of Buffalo. She is only thirty-three, and has had a long public career as an advocate of woman suffrage. Her presence is prepossessing, and her social gifts are rare. She has been studying for three years in a lawyer's office.

The Chinese have the following legend about the invention of the fan: "The beautiful Kau Si, daughter of a powerful mandarin, was assisting at the feast of lanterns, when she became overpowered by the heat. She was compelled to take off her mask. But, as it was illegal to expose her face, she held her mask before it, and gently fluttered it to cool herself. The court ladies present noticed it, and in an instant a hundred other hands were waving their masks. This was the birth of the fan, which to-day takes the place of the mask in China."

The Archbishop of Canterbury presided at a meeting of the bishops of the Church of England when the Dean of Lincoln presented a petition setting forth that excess in mourning attire, funeral paraphernalia, and floral decorations was no real indication of affection or respect, and urging that burials should be conducted in the simplest possible form, in speedily perishable coffins, in earth sufficient and suitable for the resolution of the body into its ultimate elements, "with only such accessories as are in accordance with the Christian principles of faith, hope and love."

Minister S. S. Cox, representative of the United States at Constantinople, has sent to his nephew, who is chief clerk of the National Museum at Washington, an extraordinary souvenir in the shape of a remarkably well preserved Egyptian mummy. The linen bandages in which it was originally swathed have never been broken, and the mask and painted cartoons placed about the bandaged body are perfect. The mummy case is carved out of logs of acacia wood, the interior being hollowed out with an adze, forming a receptacle into which the mummy exactly fits. Upon the case is carved and painted a face with a long pointed beard, evidently meant to be a likeness of the deceased gentleman inside.

THE HOPE JEWELS.

A Wonderful Collection of Diamonds, Sapphires, Opals and Pearls.

London Times.

The collection of jewels and precious stones formed by the late Mr. Henry Philip Hope, the greater portion of which is to be sold at Christie's, is one of remarkable interest, chiefly on account of the famous blue diamond which more than half a century back was known as the Hope diamond, having come into the possession of Mr. Henry Thomas Hope of Amsterdam, in London. This extremely rare gem, however, which was the rival of the Kohinoor in the great exhibition of 1851, and which is the chief of about five of the only blue diamonds known, is not included in the present sale.

A splendid star or azure fire shines out in the lovely sapphire known historically as "Le Saphir Merveilleux," upon which Mme. de Genlis founded a charming story when it belonged to Philippe Egalite, Duc d'Orleans. In color this beautiful stone, which is five eighths of an inch octagon set round with small brilliants as a ring, is even richer and softer in its tone than the blue diamond, but less fierce in its lustre. Its weight is 74 grains; not large, therefore, since there is one at Ava of 951 carats, and the one in the collection of the Jardin des Plantes weighs 132 1-16 carats, without a flaw, which was found by a poor Bengalee, afterward purchased by one Mr. Ruspoli of Rome, and eventually came to a Paris jewel merchant for 170,000 francs.

Another interesting jewel is the King of Candy's cat's-eye, the largest known, being an inch and a half in diameter and hemispherical, mounted in the original Oriental setting of gold studded with rubies cut *en cabochon*. Its color cannot be better described than by its resemblance to the glistening green and tawny yellow of the cruel eye of cats and tigers. The charm of the cat's-eye is in the changing streak or ray of silvery light, and this it is that led the Cingalese to fancy that it held a genie who could protect against witchcraft, so that they prize with superstitious veneration these strange stones. There are several other specimens in the collection, and one of the gold cat's-eyes known to mineralogists as crocidolite.

Of the opals there are some fine specimens, both of the Hungarian, which are the best, and of the Mexicans, which are softer and more porous. A beautiful ornament formed of these gems is most appropriately formed like a chameleon, with the creature's back studded all over with opals of changing iridescence. This is an exceedingly fine example of the art of the *joaillior* of the seventeenth century, in gold and enamel work.

Another very interesting opal is the "Mexican sun opal," so called from having the head of the sun god carved upon it. This is an inch long and nearly the same in width, and the carving seems]o be barbaric and not antique Roman, or we might fancy it was the opal of historic celebrity which was coveted by Marc Anthony, and led him to banish Nonius, the possessor of it, who, however escaped with his opal. This curious Mexican opal has had its traditions as being historically known since the sixteenth century.

The largest pearl known is another of the rarities of the collection, two inches long, pear-shaped, of an opaline tint, mounted as a pendant to an arched crown of enamel, rubies, emeralds, sapphires, and brilliants. Interesting as a specimen of glyptic work is a diamond cut in the form of a cross, which is said to be unique. There is also a cross formed of six rare brilliant green diamonds, and another anomaly of the kind is a white ruby. The sword hilt of King Murat, made of a large aquamarine cut in facets, with various jewels studded about the gold cross piece, is another curiosity in this remarkable collection.

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A letter lately received by the pension commissioner read as follows: 'Can twins git a penshun when one is ded and the other is a gurl. I don know afore my old man dies who has got misery in his stummuck?'"

A New Woman Craze in the East.

A little fodder plant has been discovered that removes nervous exhaustion and nervousness at once. It makes a big appetite, sweet sleep, and gives double powers of indurance, while it is harmless, tasteless, and is neither a medicine nor stimulant. There is great excitement over it everywhere. It is said to stop the liquor habit and remove the effects of dissipat on as effectively as energy at once. Druggists sell it. It is very cheap. They call it Moxie Nerve Food. If true, we are not surprised the women are excited over it. It will make the use of medicine unnecessary half the time. The doctors commend it. Its sale is said to be unparalled. First, the women went wild over it for nervous exhaustion and effects of severe physical and mental overstrain. Now it is ascertained that it will stop the liquor habit and remove the effects of dissipation and physical abuses at once. A huge company has been formed, and Chicago is to have a manufactory at 33 North State Street. There is a perfect craze over it in Washington and large cities East. Everybody drings it from the President down. They call it Moxie Nerve Food. The doctors say it is harmless, being neither medicine, stimulant or poison. It is exceedingly popular among the *elite* of the big cities. It is rapidly substituting the use of stimulants, tonics, and fancy drinks. The men swarm after it. The temperance and moral associations give it their influence, as it is destitute of alcohol, gives great powers of endurance, and does not lose its effects more than food. The druggists sell it for Moxie Nerve Food. It is said its sale is unparalleled. We welcome it.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

PORTLAND WHOLESALE MARKET.

PORTLAND, June 7, 1886.

June is usually a quiet month, but jobbers report a very decided improvement over last month in the volume of trade with values generally tending upward. Flour is firmer in sympathy with a further rise in wheat, and millers in most cases have advanced prices from 20 to 25c ⅌ bbl. Pork firmly held at previous quotations, but the market is firmer. Lard 12½c to 20c ⅌ hundred dearer. In Raisins, a decline will be noticed on London Layers and Valencias. Sugar quiet and steady. Cheese easier here. At Little Falls, N. Y., to-day cheese closed ½c higher.

The following are to-day's closing quotations of Flour, Grain, Provisions, &c.:

Flour.	
Superfine and low grades..$ 25@3 50	
X Spring and XX Spring.....4 50@4 75	
Patent Spring Wheats.....5 00@5 50	
Mich. straight roller.....4 87@5 12	
clear do....4 25@4 75	
stone ground..4 62@4 75	
St Louis st'gt roller.....4 75@5 00	
clear do...4 50@4 75	
Winter Wheat Patents.....5 25@6 50	
Grain.	
High Mixed Corn.49@50	
Corn, bag lots....51@52	
Meal, bag lots....58@61	
Oats, car lots....42@43	
Oats, bag lots....44@45	
Cotton Seed, car lots..23 00@24 00	
do bag...24 00@25 00	
Sack'd Bran car lots..16 00@17 00	
do bag...17 00@18 00	
Middlings..17 00@21 00	
Mdd bag lots..18 00@23 00	
Provisions.	
Pork—	
Fish.	
Cod, ⅌ qtl—	
Large Shore3 00@3 25	
Large Bank2 50@2 75	
Small.....2 25@2 50	
Pollock.....2 25@3 00	
Haddock.....1 50@2 00	
Hake.....1 75@2 25	
Herring—	
Scaled ⅌ bx..16@20c	
No 1.....13@16c	
Mackerel ⅌ bbl—	
Shore Is.19 00@21 00	
Shore 2s. 6 50@7 50	
Med. 3s. 4 75@5 75	
Small.....@	
Produce.	
Cranberries—@	
Maine.....3 50@4 50	
Cape Cod...5 50@6 50	
Pea Beans...1 60@1 75	
Medium....1 60@1 75	
German mtd 65@1 75	
Yellow Eyes.1 40@1 65	
Irish Potatoes...50@60	
St Potatoes.....@4 00	
Bermu Onions1 90@2 00	
Turkeys.....17@22	
Chickens.....15@16	
Fowls.....16@16	
Ducks.....@	
Geese.....@	
Apples.	
Snow.....	
Tallman Swts	
Russets 2 50@2 75	
Orange.	
Florida.....@	
Valencia 9 00@10 00	
Messina and Ripo. termo ⅌ bx.5 50@6 00	
Backs...13 50@14 00	
Clear....12 75@13 25	
Mess.....10@11 50	
Mess Beef. 7 50@8 00	
Ex Mess. 8 50@9 00	
Plate.....9 50@10 00	
Ex Plate.10 50@11 00	
Lard—	
Tubs ⅌ ⅌..6½@6⅝c	
Tierces....6½@6⅝c	
Pails.....6¼@7¼c	
Hams ⅌ lb.....10@10½	
do covered..11@12	
Oil.	
Kerosene—	
Port. Ref. Pet.....6½	
Water White.....6½	
Pratt's Astl'l.bbl. 13	
Devoe's Brilliant.....13	
Linonia.....10	
Silver White.....9	
Centennial.....10	
Raisins.	
Muscatel.....2 25@3 00	
London Lay'r 2 25@2 90	
Ondura Lay. 12½ @13	
Valencia.....7½@9½	
Sugar.	
granulated ⅌ lb.....6½	
Extra C.....6	
Seeds.	
Red Top...$2¼@$2¾	
Timothy Seed 2 15@2 20	
Clover.....11 @13c	
Cheese.	
Vermont.....8½@9½	
N.Y. factory 8½@9½	
Butter.	
Creamery ⅌ lb...20@21	
Gilt Edge Ver....20@21	
Choice.....18@19	
Good.....17@18	
Store.....12@14	
Eggs.	
Eastern extras...12@13	
Can & Western..... 12	
Island..... 12	
Limed.....	

WHEAT AND PROVISIONS.

CHICAGO, June 7, 1886.—The Flour market is steady; Winter Wheat 4 25@4 75; Wisconsin 4 00@4 40; Michigan at 4 25@4 50; soft Spring Wheat 3 65@4 10; Minnesota bakers 3 40@4 40; patents 4 05@4 80; low grades 2 00@3 00. Rye Flour at 3 30@5 50 in bbls. Wheat is unsettled, closing lower; June at 76½@77¼c; No 2 Spring 77c. Oats are firmer at 27c. Rye dull; No 2 at 50@53c. Pork higher at $ 70@8 95; closed $ 90. Lard is higher at 6 10. Boxed meats are steady—shoulders at 4 45@4 50; short clear at 5 80@5 85.

Receipts—Flour, 7,000 bbls; wheat, 3,000 bush; corn, 320,000 bu; oats, 165,000 bush; rye 1,000 bush; barley, 13,000 bush.

Shipments—Flour, 4,000 bbls; wheat, 9,000; bush; corn, 192,000 bush; oats, 191,000 bush; rye, 3,000 bush; barley, 1,000 bush.

ST. LOUIS, June 7, 1886.—Flour is steady; XXX 2 50@2 65; Extra Fancy 2 80@3 00; Family 3 30@3 40; fancy 3 70@3 80; extra fancy 3 95@4 20; patents 4 60@4 80. Wheat higher; No 2 Red 77¾c. Corn higher; No 2 at 31⅝@32c. Oats—no sales; No 2 Mixed 25¾c bid. Lard is steady at 5 80.

Receipts—Flour, 4,000 bbls; wheat, 18,000 bu; corn, 1,075 bush; oats, 47,000 bush; rye, 1,000 bush; barley 1,000 bush.

Shipments—Flour, 2,000 bbls; wheat 10,000 bu; corn, 17,000 bu; oats 34,000 bush; rye, 00000 bu; barley 0000 bush.

DETROIT, June 7, 1886.—Wheat—No 1 White at 82½c; Mich Red 84½c bid; No 2 Red at 83½ bid.

Receipts, 4,100 bush.

NEW ORLEANS, June 7, 1886.—Cotton quiet; middling 8⅞c.

MOBILE, June 7, 1886.—Cotton is firm; mid dling 8¾c.

SAVANNAH, June 7, 1886.—Cotton is quiet; middling 8 11-16c.

CHARLESTON, June 7, 1886.—Cotton quiet; middling 9c.

MEMPHIS, June 7, 1886.—Cotton steady; middling 8⅞c.

European Markets.

By Telegraph.]

LONDON, June 7, 1886.—U. S. 4½s, 113¾.

LONDON, June 7, 1886.—[Beerbohm's report to Chamber of Commerce.] Cargoes off the coast, wheat inactive. Cargoes on the passage and for shipment, wheat, slow, corn steady. At Liverpool, spot wheat very inactive; corn firm and holding higher.

LIVERPOOL, June 7, 1886.—Quotations—Winter Wheat steady at 6s 1d@7s 1d; Spring wheat 6s 11d@7s 1d; Club wheat at 6s 10d@7s. Corn—mixed Western at 4s 5d; peas 5s 5d. Provisions, &c.—Pork prime Eastern mess 52s 6d; bacon at 29s for short clear; cheese 42s—d for American; lard, prime Western at 32s; tallow at 25s for American.

LIVERPOOL, June 7, 1886.—Cotton market is firm; uplands at 5¼d; Orleans 5 3-16d; sales 10,000 bales; speculation and export 1000 bales.

SAILING DAYS OF STEAMSHIPS.

FROM	FOR
City of Puebla	New York..Hav&VCruz Jne 10
Adriatic	New York..Liverpool....Jne 10
Westphalia	New York..Hamburg.....Jne 10
Santiago	New York..Cienfuegos ..Jne 10
Gallia	Boston ....Liverpool ....Jne 10
Aurania	New York..Liverpool ....Jne 12
Elbe	New York..Bremen.....Jne 12
Bohemia	New York..Hamburg ....Jne 12
Cienfuegos	New York..Cienfuegos ..Jne 12
Baltic	New York..Liverpool....Jne 12
Zaandam	New York..Amsterdam .Jne 12
Belgenland	New York..Antwerp.....Jne 12
Normandie	New York..Havre.....Jne 12
Wisconsin	New York..Liverpool....Jne 15
City Washington	New York..Hav&VCruz .Jne 17
Pavonia	Boston ....Liverpool ....Jne 19
Scythia	Boston ....Liverpool ....Jne 24
Finance	New York..Rio Janeiro. Jne 30

MINIATURE ALMANAC.			JUNE 8.
Sun rises	3.57	High water	3.02
Sun sets	7.23		3.52
Length of day	15.26	Height	9ft 0in
Moon sets	morn		8ft 6in

MARINE NEWS.

PORT OF PORTLAND.

MONDAY, June 7.

Arrived.

Steamship Franconia, Bennet, New York—mdse to J B Coyle.

Steamer Cumberland, Thompson, Boston for Eastport and St John, NB.

Barque Formosa, Pierce, Havana—molasses to Geo S Hunt & Co. Vessel to J A Winslow & Co.

Barque Fred E Richards, Thorndike, Philadelphia—coal to Randall & McAllister. Vessel to Ryan & Kelsey.

Sch Henry Crosby, Stubbs, Matanzas—molasses to Geo S Hunt & Co.

Sch Grace E Stevens, Stevens, Boston—salt to John S Emery & Bro.

Sch Wave Hinkley, Boston.

Sch David Sprague, Titus, Westport, NS—live lobsters to W S Trefethen.

Sch J B Oliver, from Sheet Harbor, NS—canned lobster to Burnham & Morrill.

Sch Cock of the Walk, Lewis, Wiscasset.

Schs Abbie M Deering, south shore with 80 bbls mackerel; Ethel E Addie, Gloucester.

Cleared.

Brig Ysidora Rionda, Speck, Buenos Ayres—R Lewis & Co.

Sch Henrietta, Haley, Westport, NS—master.

Sch Kaple J Ireland, Steelman, Kennebec, to load for Baltimore—Ryan & Kelsey.

SAILED—Barque Albert Schultz; schs Mabel L Phillips, H A Burry.

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS.

SACO, June 6—Ar, sch George E Prescott, Truworthy, Philadelphia.

June 7—Ar, sch Catharine, Hutchins, from New York.

WISCASSET, June 4—Ar, sch Niger, Adams, Boston.

June 5—Ar, sch Susan B Ray, Spaulding, from Boston.

Sld, sch Coquette, Orne, Boston.

FROM MERCHANTS' EXCHANGE.

Sld fm Matanzas 31st, sch Scotia, Shearer, for Delaware Breakwater; 340t, Gipsy Queen, Chandler, Cardenas; 1st, barque Charles Loring, Thestrup, Boston.

Ar at Trinidad 24th, sch Uranus, Mason, Cienfuegos.

Ar at Cardenas 20th, sch Bertha Warner, Lathwaite, New York.

Sld fm Saguna 30th, sch Cumberland, Webber, Philadelphia.

Sld fm Cienfuegos 27th, brig Myronus, Peterson Philadelphia.

Ar at Anjier 7th inst, barque Harvard, Pray, from New York, for orders.

Passed the Lizard June 6, ship Dani Barnes, Stover, from San Francisco for Antwerp.

Ar at Queenstown June 6, ship Sea King, Getchell, San Francisco.

Ar at St Thomas May 16, sch James R Talbot, Crocker, St Pierre, and sld 18th for Arroyo and New London; 22d, brig Herman, Hiebbern, Barbadoes, (and sailed 22d for Arecibo and North of Hatteras.

Memoranda.

Sch George Savage, from Bath for New York, put into Portsmouth 4th inst leaking and will go on the railway for repairs.

Sch Victor, Jenkins, from West awken for Boston, went ashore 3d, on the flats at the mouth of Edgartown.

Key West, June 7—Sch Emily J Watts, Watts, from Amboy for Galveston, went ashore on the 6th on Pelican Shoal and remains. She has jettisoned part of deckload and will probably come off with assistance of a tug.

Domestic Ports.

SAN FRANCISCO—Sld 4th, ship A G Ropes, Rivers, Liverpool.

Sld 28th, barque El Dorado, Humphrey, ——.

TACOMA—Ar 30th, ship Oriental, Slater, from San Francisco.

PORT TOWNSEND—Ar 30th, ship John Bryce Murphy, San Francisco.

TATOOSH—Passed by May 30, ship Ivanhoe, Carter, from San Francisco.

APALACHICOLA—Cld 5th, sch Laura, Lamson Boston.

NEW ORLEANS—Ar 5th, sch Dora Matthews, Brown, New York.

PENSACOLA—Ar 5th, sch Florence J Allen, Soule, Galveston.

Cld 5th, sch Jas A Garfield, Gallison, Philadelphia.

JACKSONVILLE—Sld fm Fort George, sch Lois V Chaples, Weaver, Baltimore.

SAVANNAH—Ar 6th, brig Helen M Rowley, Rowley, New York.

GEORGETOWN, DC—Cld 5th, sch Fannie Whitmore, Whitmore, Baltimore.

BALTIMORE—Cld 4th, steamer Frostburg, Mills, Portland.

Ar 5th, sch Jennie F Willey, Chadwick, Kennebec.

Ar 6th, sch W H Oler, Crowell, Bath.

PHILADELPHIA—Ar 6th, schs J Howell Leeds, Cranmer, Kennebec; City of Augusta, Meady, Kennebec; Fannie A Gorham, Wheeler, Brunswick; City of Augusta, Meady, Kennebec.

Cld 5th, schs Apphia & Amelia, Willard, Portland; Gen A Ames, Jameson, Charleston.

Cld 6th, barque Luna Long, Cook, Cardenas; sch Maggie Dalling, Dalling, Cardenas.

Sld fm Delaware Breakwater 5th, ship John T Berry, from Philadelphia for Hiogo.

NEW YORK—Ar 5th, schs Grace Andrews, Andrews, St Jago; Frank Herbert, Herrick, Bangor; Caroline C, Moulton, Providence; Annie K Lewis, Stewart, Stonington.

Ar 6th, schs E M Sawyer, Nova Scotia; Julia E Pratt, St John, NB; Zeyla, Whiting; S S Bickmore, Portland; Andrew J York, do; Freddie Eaton, and Wm G R Mowry, Calais; Allie Oakes, Rockland; Saml Lewis, Providence; Lucy M Collins, do.

Ar 7th, sch Rosa Mueller, McLearn, Guantanamo.

Cld 5th, barque Cardenas, Reeves, Monrovia; brig Gem, Pierce, Barbados.

Sld 6th, ships Eclipse, for Calcutta; Normandy, for Melbourne; Sarah A Staples, for New Orleans Passed the Narrows 6th, schs T W Allen, Carter, from Wechawken for Eastport; G M Porter, do for Lynn.

Passed the Gate 6th, schs Charleston, NYork for Bangor; Marcellus, Amboy for Providence.

NEW HAVEN—Sld 5th, sch A Hammond, Jones New York.

PROVIDENCE—Ar 5th, sch Nellie F, Huntley, Machias; W Sautsbury, Gray, Bangor; Florida, White, Rockland.

PROVIDENCE—Ar 6th, schs Montecello, Henshaw, Rockland; July Fourth, Wood, Bangor.

FALL RIVER—Ar 6th, sch Caroline Knight, Rockland.

NEWPORT—Ar 6th, sch Francis Coffin, Bellatty, Elisworth.

WICKFORD—Ar 5th, sch Hattie L Curtis, Hodgins, Bangor.

EDGARTOWN—Ar 3d, sch F T Drisko, Drisko, Hoboken for Lynn; Geo P Trigg, Hillyard, Weehawken for Eastport.

HYANNIS—Ar 5th, sch Agnes, Murch, from New York.

BOSTON—Ar 5th, sch Gold Hunter, Littlefield, York.

Cld 5th, barque Naversink, Hall, Norfolk.

Ar 6th, schs Edw Waite, Lee, Barbadoes; Ira E Wright, Howard, Rondout; Petrel, Decrow, Bangor.

Ar 7th, barque Tillie Baker, Cart, Iquique; schs Carrie A Norton, Norton, Baltimore; Rockland, R Oakes, Ingalls, Machias; Etta E Tanner, Malloch Calais.

Cld 7th, sch Seth M Todd, Clark, St Margaret Bay, NS; Wm C French, Sherman, Kennebec, to load for Philadelphia.

Sld 7th, barque Arthur C Wade.

SALEM—Sld 5th, sch Yreka, Falkingham, for Jonesport.

NEWBURYPORT—Ar 5th, sch Ellis P Rogers, Rogers, New York.

Sld 5th, sch J R Bodwell, Metcalf, New York.

Sld 6th, schs Corona Cone, Sherman, Rockland.

PORTSMOUTH—Sld 5th, sch Wm Pickering, Hammond, Rockland.

MILLBRIDGE—Ar 3d, sch Mabel, Strout, from Portland.

Foreign Ports.

At Hong Kong Mch 29, ships John Currier, Bletnen, for San Francisco; Josephus, Rogers, for do; Geo R Skolfield, Dunning, from Nagasaki; St David, Frost, and Invincible, Skews, from New York; Granite State, Fritz, unc; barks Mabel, Snow, for New York; N Gibson, Bailey, do; Fred P Litchfield, Bartlett, unc.

At Iloilo Apl 14, ship Agenor, Lothrop, for Boston, with hemp and sugar; barque Edwin Reed, Cates, for United States with sugar.

At Manila Apl 17, ships Jacob E Ridgway, Call, for New York; Wandering Jew, Nichols, from New York, for United States; Carondelet, Stetson for Liverpool; barque Elva E Pettengill, White, for United States.

Sld fm Gibara June 4, sch Effie J Simmons, Bulger, New York.

Sld fm Halifax 4th, sch Florence F, (from Pictou) for Portland.

Ar at St John, NB, 5th inst, schs Eben Fisher, Reynolds, from Portland; Emerald Isle, Grant, Boston; and Saarbruck, Clark, Machias, Sea Bird, Andrews, Rockland.

Cld 5th, schs Mary Sands, Greenleaf, New York; Alaska, Clark, do; B Young, Dobbin, do.

Spoken.

April 7, lat 15 S, lon 29 W, barque Antioch, Hemingway, from Boston for Melbourne.

April 25, lat 3 N, lon 26 W, ship Benj Sewall, Utter, from New York for Hong Kong.

June 1, lat 26 30, lon 65 38, barque Belle Wooster, bound south.

June 2, lat 29 55, lon 79 30, sch David W Hunt, from Mobile for Boston.

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FOR SALE—The black horse Major well known in Portland having been owned and driven for the past two years by Mr. L. C. Cummings. Major is jet black, seven years old, weighs 1180 lbs., and a horse of very fine appearance. He is warranted sound and kind in harness or

THE PRESS.

TUESDAY MORNING, JUNE 8.

PORTLAND AND VICINITY.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS TO-DAY.

FINANCIAL.
Bonds—H. M. Payson & Co.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.
Eastman Bros. & Bancroft.
Wanted—American Woman.
Wanted—Irishman.
Wanted—The People of Portland.
Wanted—Cast Off Clothing.
To Let—Tenement.
Oliver Ditson & Co., Boston.
Lost—Locket.
Maine Real Estate Business Agency—4.
Wanted—Man.
Notice—Insurance Agents, &c.
To Let—Rooms.
Order for Election—P. M. B's.
Wanted—Young Lady or Gentleman.
$10 Reward—E. A. Chase.
Notice—Chase, Leavitt & Co.
For Sale—Barber Shop
Annual Meeting—Cumberland Bone Co.
Summer Opening—John E. Palmer.
Ice Cream Freezers—W. C. Sawyer & Co.
Wanted—Laster.

Mrs. Chas. Smith of Jimes, Ohio, writes: I nave used every remedy for Sick Headache I could hear of for the past fifteen years, but Carter's Little Liver Pills did me more good than all the rest.

F. O. Bailey & Co. will sell the real estate consisting of brick house and stable corner of North and Melbourne streets at 3 o'clock today.

YORK COUNTY S. J. COURT.

BEFORE JUDGE EMERY.

ALFRED, Monday, June 7.

Court reconvened this morning. No case being ready for trial, the jurors were excused for the term.

The Biddeford election cases will be taken up tomorrow, Tuesday morning.

The juries will be dismissed on Thursday afternoon, when divorce and equity cases, and motions for hearing before the court, will be taken up. As soon as this business can be completed, court will adjourn finally.

BRIEF JOTTINGS.

The steamer Mary W. Libby is being put in order for the summer travel.

The Musical Herald for June has been received.

Doris' Circus will exhibit in Portland, June 23d; Forepaugh's Circus, July 12th.

Five persons were received by certificate at Congress street M.E. church at the Sunday morning service.

The Delphian Quartette of this city will take part in the graduation exercises at the Bridgton Academy, Thursday.

The steamer Gordon is being painted preparatory to the summer travel and her place is taken by the steamer Alice.

It is reported that the old yacht club house is to be hired by the U. S. Government for use as a barge office.

The Canadian schooner J. B. Doliver arrived yesterday morning with 1100 cases of lobsters, consigned to Burnham & Morrill.

It is reported that Hon. James G. Blaine will be asked to address a public meeting in Portland on the subject of the fisheries.

The Bath Light Infantry has accepted an invitation to take part in the Centennial parade.

The usual temperance meeting will be held at the Mission this evening at 7.45 o'clock. All are invited.

Professor Hincks, formerly of State street church in this city, delivered the baccalaureate discourse at Andover Theological Seminary Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Fred Jones of Deering Centre shows us several very large, handsome strawberries plucked from a plant which also bears fruit in full blossom.

Thirteen hundred boys have already decided to take part in the Centennial procession from the public schools, and as many girls as the city provides with carriages.

At an adjourned meeting of the First Parish held yesterday afternoon, it was voted to repaint and repair the church, and close during July and August for that purpose.

The first meeting of the new corporation of the Portland & Ogdensburg railroad will be held at the office of the company at 10 o'clock this morning.

The Grand Trunk Railway is now selling Saturday excursion tickets at reduced rates to Gorham and intermediate points and return. The tickets are good Saturdays, returning Mondays.

The Union conference of Congregational churches will celebrate its semi-centennial at South Bridgton, Wednesday and Thursday of this week. Rev. Thomas S. Perry will deliver the historical address.

Intelligence has been received in Lynn of the arrest at Calais, through the efforts of Detective Officer Hanscomb of the Lynn police, of William Buckley, who is charged with the embezzlement of a quantity of wool pelts sent him by a Boston firm to pull. He will be brought to Lynn.

At a regular meeting of Great Eastern Lodge, No. 4, Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen held Sunday, it was voted that the lodge go to Bangor on the 20th of this month for the purpose of getting the members working in the Eastern part of the State together and initiating new members.

PERSONAL.

Hon. T. B. Reed has returned to Washington.

Prof. Smith of Bowdoin College was in the city last evening.

L. W. Jackson, Jr., proprietor of a hotel at Paris, was at the City Hotel today.

Senator Frye was returned from his fishing trip to Rangeley Lake, and left for Washington today.

Mr. Nathaniel Longley, city messenger of Bath, died Sunday afternoon, after a few days illness, aged 75 years. He was a city officer for nearly forty consecutive years, and several years was in the employ of William King, the first governor of Maine. He was a police officer for thirty years.

Pay Director Caleb A. Emery, U. S. N., died at Newton, Mass., on Saturday, aged 66. He was born in Lebanon, Me., but in early life moved to New Hampshire. He served as captain in the Mexican war, and in 1855 was appointed paymaster. Since that time he has been in constant service until a few years ago, when he was retired. In 1863 he was stationed at Portsmouth, N. H., and in 1873 at Boston. He leaves a widow and son.

The following were among those registered at the Falmouth Hotel last night: Fred Bowden, Miss Bowden, and Col. Smith, of Liverpool, Eng.; C. W. Cary and J. J. Knox of New York; I. S. Coombs, of Bath; Jas. H. Leighton, C. E. Bacon, J. A. Nickerson, John Yose, J. V. Godfrey, of Boston; C. H. Merrill, of Crawford, N. H.; W. E. Tuller and M. H. Rhodes of Taunton, Mass.; J. M. Ellis, Mrs. H. A. Bird and Master Geo. K. Bird of West Dedham, Mass.

The Diocesan Convention.

We republish the programme for the Episcopal Diocesan Convention which will commence its labors at the Cathedral today: Morning prayer will be said at 9 o'clock, after which the convention will be organized. The convention sermon will be preached by Rev. Dr. Parke, rector of Grace church, Bath. At 11 o'clock the Holy Communion will be celebrated. The Bishop's address will be delivered at 3 p. m.

On Wednesday the Holy Communion will be celebrated at 7 a. m., and in the evening there will be a missionary meeting in the Cathedral, with addresses by several of the clergy.

A Terrible Affliction.

The wedding day of a young lady of this city was fixed for Wednesday of this week and she was making preparations for the happy occasion. The other day she left the dinner table and proceeded to the sewing-room, where, all at once, a shriek was heard, and the family rushed to the room, to hear her cry most piteously, "I cannot see." A leading surgeon was sent for who said she was suffering from paralysis of the optic nerve and would never recover her sight.

A Narrow Escape.

The midnight Pullman, from the east, due in Portland at 2 a. m. yesterday, had gone on to the Y, at the bridge, when a passenger by the name of Stover, belonging in Harpswell, passed out of the car, and jumped overboard. Conductor Cahill, with great presence of mind, cut the alarm cord, and with the assistance of several passengers, flung it to the drowning man and rescued him.

Team Stolen.

Saturday evening a horse and buggy was stolen from the sheds at Odd Fellows' Hall, South Waterboro, belonging to C. W. Smith of that town. The buggy was a black Concord, nearly new. The horse weighed 1000 pounds, was twelve years old, dark red, long mane and tail, small white star in the middle of the forehead.

TERRIBLE ACCIDENT.

A Man's Skull Crushed by a Chain Parting.

Yesterday afternoon, about 2 o'clock, while the United States dredge was engaged in dredging out Central Wharf dock, a chain attached to the bucket parted in the weld of the chain. Mr. Carl Berrer, the assistant engineer, was standing near when the break occurred, and the upper end of the chain flew round with tremendous force, striking Mr. Berrer on the scull and inflicting a fracture two and a half inches in length, by one inch in breadth.

Immediate assistance was furnished by Mr. Both, the assistant engineer in charge, but the unfortunate man had blood flow from his nose, and vomited blood to quite an amount. A hack was procured and Mr. Berrer taken to his home, No. 70 Gray St., where surgeons were quickly in attendance. They trepanned the skull but inform us that it is a very precarious case, and that Mr. Berrer has not more than an even chance for life. Mr. Berrer is about 40 years of age, has been connected with the U. S. Engineer's office in this city for ten or fifteen years past, is a very fine officer and is much esteemed and respected. He is married and has a family.

Mr. Berrer died at 2.30 o'clock this morning.

A REUNION.

The P. L. I. Veteran Association at the Cape.

June 6th, 1803, the Portland Light Infantry was organized with the following officers: Ezekiel Day, Captain; Thomas Motley, Lieutenant; Levi Bradish, Ensign. Since that time it has had a continuous organization. It furnished a company for the Madawaska War, Co. A, First Maine Regiment in the war of 1861, was recruited from the P. L. I., and the organization probably furnished more officers in the different Maine Regiments than any other militia company in the State. A few weeks ago a number of gentlemen who had been members prior to '61, thought it a good plan to form an association imagining that twenty might be found who would like to join and the result has been that forty have signed the rolls and pledged themselves to celebrate the anniversary as long as two members shall remain alive.

Yesterday the "vets" celebrated the day at the Ocean House and with such, a beautiful day and in such good company they lived their youthful days over again. The yleft the Preble House in carriages at nine o'clock for the Ocean House. Among those present were the following:

Thomas Connor,	Charles H. Scott,
Edward Mason,	Joseph R. Brady,
Samuel Teague,	Samuel Rolfe,
John Green,	D. H. Drinkwater,
John M. Beal,	Charles W. Green,
James W. Plaisted,	Lafayette Wyman,
Frank Paine,	George W. Furlong,
Joseph H. Stickney,	Thomas Dearing,
Cordis A. Longley,	C. A. Donnell,
Harvey Freeman,	J. F. Libby,
Alexander Bell,	Walter H. Thomas,
John D. Mitts,	C. F. Plummer,
Frank Lovett,	Judge Goddard,
George Webster,	Joshua F. Emery,
John B. Pike,	Amos Smith,
John H. Williams,	Elisha Wheeler,
George E. Brown,	William P. Jordan,
J. R. Duran,	Albert Harmon,
Arthur Noble,	James A. Tenny,
J. R. Brady, Boston,	G. E. Luscomb, Boston,
	Nathan Gould, Boston.

On arriving at the Ocean House the company met by mine host Dresser who informed them that lunch was ready, to which ample justice was done. Then came the annual meeting and the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President—Samuel J. Anderson.
Vice Presidents—Harrison B. Brown, J. W. Plaisted.
Secretary—Charles F. Plummer.
Treasurer—Geo. W. Furlong.
Finance Committee—J. B. Pike, Geo. Webster, Geo. E. Brown.
Visiting Committee—J. H. Stickney, J. D. Williams, J. F. Libby.

A letter was read from Dr. Weeks saying that the President, Gen. Anderson, was quite sick and information was given that Vice President H. B. Brown was also unable to be present on account of sickness.

A committee consisting of Judge Goddard, J. T. Emery, and J. D. Williams was appointed to prepare resolutions of sympathy. They reported as follows:

Your committee have the honor to present to the association the following resolutions:

Resolved, That his old comrades, assembled at their annual festival, are deeply pained at the news of the sudden and painful illness of their beloved commander, the Honorable Samuel J. Anderson, and in extending to him and his family their heartfelt sympathy, they tender an expression of hope for his speedy recovery, and their wishes for his prolonged happiness and usefulness.

Your committee have the honor to present to the association the following resolution:

Resolved, That we as comrades assembled at the annual festival deeply regret to hear of the sudden illness of Vice President H. B. Brown, and beg leave to extend to himself and family our sympathy and best wishes for his early recovery.

All which is respectfully submitted,
C. W. GODDARD,
JOHN. D. WILLIAMS, } Com.
J. T. EMERY,

The target shooting resulted as follows: 1st prize, C.A. Donnell; 2nd prize, J. D. Williams. The leather medal was awarded to J. F. Libby. The first and second prizes were silver cups and were presented by Judge Goddard.

At two o'clock dinner was served, to which ample justice was done by all, and then the company had a group photograph taken by Captain Geo. E. Brown.

A resolution was passed thanking Mr. Dresser for his kindness and courtesy and everyone was of the opinion that "he knows how to keep a hotel."

There were present from Boston, Mr. Geo. E. Luscomb, Capt. J. R. Brady and Mr. Nathan Gould, also Capt. Chas. H. Scott and Mr. Arthur Noble. Capt. Chas. H. Green was with the Infantry at the Ocean House at its anniversary fifty years ago yesterday. The following members who served in the Madawaska war was present: J. T. Emery, Albert Harmon, Amos Smith, J. B. Stevens and Thomas Dearing. The company returned to the city at an early hour well pleased with their first anniversary, and all hoped they might live to see they centennial of the P. L. I. in 1903.

Ministers' Association.

The Ministers' Association of Portland and vicinity met in the rooms of the Y. M. C. A. yesterday morning. The meeting was one of special interest and importance.

Rev. C. H. Daniels was appointed temporary chairman. Prayer was offered by Rev. W. H. Daniels.

A committee consisting of Revs. Messrs. Dunn, Wright and Crosley was appointed to draft resolutions concerning Sunday excursions.

The following resolutions were presented and adopted:

Resolved, That we, the members of the Ministers' Association of Portland and vicinity, believing that the running of excursion trains and boats on the Lord's Day is a violation of the law of God and man, do hereby most earnestly and respectfully request the managers of our railroad and steamboat companies to withdraw and withhold the same.

Resolved, That in our judgment the practice of holding grove meetings, religious or otherwise, requiring or countenancing the use of excursion trains or boats on the Lord's Day, is harmful and destructive of the sanctity of the day.

Rev. L. H. Hallock presented the following resolution, which also was adopted:

Resolved, That the Portland city government be earnestly solicited to take decisive action at as early a day as practicable, to cause the closing of all news stands, cigar stores and groceries, and other places of secular trade on Sunday, thus cooperating with us in the attempt to secure a better Sunday observance. To the same end we also desire the suppression of the practice of the newsboys hawking Sunday papers about our streets; and that those who hold victualers' licenses be confined to their legitimate business.

These resolutions elicited much discussion, and drew out many startling statements concerning Sunday trade and travel. It was reported from a knowledge of the facts that many candy, cigar and news stores were open, and apparently doing a thriving business during a greater part of each Lord's Day. Attention was called also to other places of trade, where the violations of Sunday law were repeated and flagrant.

It appeared to be the unanimous opinion that immediate steps should be taken to correct a rapidly growing evil. The holding of mass meetings in the interest of temperance or other religious objects in groves, or parks, or pavilions, on the Lord's Day, under such circumstances as to necessitate or encourage extraordinary Sunday travel was deprecated, and the practice was by many pronounced injurious to the common cause of morality and religious growth.

After full discussion of the various topics the association adjourned to meet at the call of the secretary.

Summer Opening.

John E. Palmer makes an announcement of his summer opening of pattern hats and bonnets in today's issue which will attract all of the ladies. The opening will occur tomorrow, June 10th.

CITY GOVERNMENT.

Regular Monthly Meeting of the Council Last Evening.

The Discount on Taxes Reduced Two Per Cent.

An Ordinance Providing for an Inspector of Buildings.

Action on the Market Square Lot Postponed.

The Forest City Skating Rink is Granted a License.

The regular June meeting of the Common Council was held last evening and considerable business transacted.

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen.

The Board came to order at a little after 7.30 o'clock with Mayor Chapman in the chair, all the members being present.

THE PORTLAND AND OGDENSBURG.

The following paper providing for the representation of the city at the meeting for the reorganization of the Portland and Ogdensburg Railroad Company, and signed by the Mayor and Aldermen, was read and ordered placed on file and recorded:

The undersigned, the Mayor and Aldermen of the city of Portland, and as such the municipal officers of said city, hereby designate and appoint ourselves and John P. Hobbs, Esq., president of the Common Council, to attend the first meeting of the new corporation to be organized under the foreclosure of the mortgage from the Portland and Ogdensburg Railroad Company to Samuel E. Spring et. als., trustees, dated the first day of November, A. D. 1871, and of the later mortgages on said railroad which have also been foreclosed; which meeting is to be held at the office of the Portland and Ogdensburg Railroad Company at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of Tuesday, the 8th day of June next, in pursuance of the published notice therefor, a printed copy of which is hereto annexed; with full power and authority to act by majority vote in the city's name and behalf, as its agent and representative, upon all matters which shall arise at said meeting or any adjournment thereof.

THE ORDINANCE ON TAXES.

The committee on engrossed bills reported that they had found the ordinance amending an ordinance on taxes correctly endorsed.

The ordinance, which provides for the reduction of the rate of discount from three to one per cent., then came up for a final passage.

The Mayor stated that the intention had been to bring the matter before the Council earlier in the year, but it had been laid over by accident.

Alderman Briggs called for a yea and nay vote, and the ordinance was given a passage as follows: Yeas—Beale, Ricker, Sawyer, Marks. Nays—Wilson, McMahon, Briggs.

DRAINS AND SEWERS.

The committee on drains and sewers reported on the petition of D. P. Perkins for the extension of the private sewer on Cumberland street to the corner of Parris street, recommending that the petitioner have leave to enter his private drain into the drain extending towards Hanover street, and that the cost of construction be deducted from the assessment on the petitioner's lot on Cumberland street.

The same committee reported on the petition of John F. Kelsey et al. to enter the sewer on Danforth street without paying an assessment, recommending the petitioners have leave to enter that sewer without assessment until the construction of a sewer in Pleasant street, into which they may enter their private drains.

Both reports were accepted.

TREASURER'S AND AUDITOR'S ACCOUNTS.

The committee on accounts reported that they had examined the account of the Treasurer and Collector for the financial year ending March 31, 1886, and found the same correctly vouched and properly stated. The balance of cash in the hands of the Treasurer at the close of the year was $87,771.50.

The same committee reported that they had examined the Auditor's accounts of appropriations and expenditures of the city for the financial year ending March 31, 1886, and found them properly authorized and correctly stated.

THE FERRY LANDING.

The following order was introduced by Alderman Beale and passed. The vote being doubted by Alderman Briggs, a yea and nay vote resulted as follows: yeas—Beals, Wilson, McMahon, Sawyer, Marks; nays—Ricker, Briggs.

Ordered that the City Solicitor be instructed, or requested, to appear at the ensuing term of the Law Court for this district and to maintain and support the exceptions filed by him in behalf of the city at the January term, 1886, of the Supreme Judicial Court for this county in the appeal of A. V. Cole and others from the decision of the County Commissioners of Cumberland county, and the exceptions filed in the same appeal at the April term, 1886, of the Law Court in opposition to the acceptance of the report of the committee which reversed the decision of the County Commissioners relating to lay out the highway and ferry landing prayed for in said petition.

NO BALL PLAYING IN THE STREETS.

An amendment to the ordinance on streets was read once and sent down:

Be it ordained by the Mayor, Aldermen and Common Council of Portland in City Council assembled, as follows:

SEC. 1—There shall be elected annually at the time fixed for the election of other subordinate city officers, or as soon thereafter as convenient, an inspector of buildings, who shall hold office until a successor is duly elected and qualified. He shall be removable at the pleasure of the City Council and shall receive such compensation for his services as the City Council may determine.

SEC. 2—The inspector shall examine all buildings in course of erection, alteration or repair in the city. He shall make a record of, and report forthwith to the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, all violations of the ordinances of the city, or laws of the State relating to buildings, and shall generally perform such duties as may be required of him by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen.

SEC. 3—This ordinance shall take effect when approved.

THE MARKET SQUARE LOT.

Alderman Briggs for the joint committee to whom was referred the petition of J. S. Winslow, et als., for the taking of Market Square as a public park, such action being necessary before the same can be set aside for the soldiers' monument, reported the following order:

Ordered: That the municipal officers of the city of Portland be, and hereby are directed to proceed at once in the manner prescribed by law, to take the lot of land in said city known as Market Square and particularly described in said petition for a public park or square, if they deem the same suitable therefor, and to make due and legal return of their doings in the premises.

Alderman Wilson thought the matter should be tabled until after the Centennial celebration, as a hearing will be necessary which is likely to be a long one.

Alderman Sawyer thought that action should be taken now.

Alderman Briggs favored passing the order, but postponing the hearing until after the celebration if deemed best.

Alderman Beale thought that the hearing should not take place until after the celebration, but did not care how the matter was postponed.

The Mayor favored laying the order on the table as he thought the publication of a notice for a hearing would create a discussion which would interfere with the preparations for the Centennial.

A motion to lay the matter on the table was then passed. Alderman Briggs asked for the roll call, which resulted as follows: Yeas—Beale, Wilson, Ricker, McMahon, Marks; nays—Sawyer, Briggs.

THE SKATING RINKS.

Messrs. Curtis, Willard and Goding presented a petition for a license to run a skating rink on Peaks' Island.

Alderman Briggs moved that the petitioners have leave to withdraw. He said that the Board had already refused licenses to two rinks, and to grant a license to this rink would be an invidious distinction and a rank injustice.

Alderman Wilson agreed with Alderman Briggs and seconded his motion.

Alderman Beale said that the Board had acted in regard to certain rinks, and he did not see why this rink at the islands should be brought in with them. A skating rink depends upon the people who run it, and while a bad rink is one of the worst things we can have, a good rink may not be objectionable.

Alderman Ricker thought that the attendance at the island rink was different in character from the crowds which attend the rinks in the city, as he understood the matter of attendance at the latter rinks.

Alderman Briggs said that when the clergymen appeared before the Aldermen they presented a long indictment against the skating rinks of Portland. The allegation contained forty counts. As the owners of the rink on Peaks' Island asked the Board of Mayor and Aldermen for a license, Mr. Briggs said that their rink must be in Portland, and he did not see why it should not bear its proportional part of the evil alleged by the clergymen to come from the rinks.

Alderman Beale wished it distinctly understood that he acted for himself and not for the clergymen in this matter.

Alderman Briggs's motion was then lost by the following vote: Yeas—Wilson, McMahon, Briggs; nays—Beale, Ricker, Sawyer, Marks.

The petition was then granted by the following vote: Yeas—Beale, Ricker, Sawyer, Marks; nays—Wilson, McMahon, Briggs.

PETITIONS REFERRED.

The following petitions were referred:

Of E. P. Chase, for permission to erect a new wooden building at the corner of Grove and Portland street.

Of F. A. Usher et als., for a brick sidewalk on Oak street.

Of Tolman & Co., et als., for a brick sidewalk on the east side of York street from Park to State streets.

ORDERS PASSED.

That the city treasurer give a deed of two certain lots of land on the easterly side of B street, containing respectively 5517 and 5797 square feet, to Melville and Charles L. Fuller, the price being eight cents per square foot, a dwelling house to be erected on the lots within one year.

That the city treasurer give a deed of a certain lot of land on St. John street to W. S. Barrett, the price being eight cents per square foot, a dwelling house to be erected on the lot within one year.

That the city forester cut down two horse chestnut trees in front of No. 15 Brown street at the expense of the owner of the premises.

That Waldo street be discontinued.

IN LICENSING BOARD.

During a recess the Board met as a licensing board and granted victualers' licenses to the following persons, subject to the report of the city marshal: A. E. Johnson, No. 26 India street; W. H. Lufkin, Forest City Landing; N. H. Powers, No. 10 Custom House wharf; T. L. Kimball, No. 78 Exchange street; Mrs. M. J. Smalley, No. 69 Middle street; Eliza A. Jones, Peaks' Island; A. H. Repouille, No. 437 Commercial street.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Alexander Bell, G. W. Gray, Howard C. Fogg and Albert H. Simonton were appointed special policemen without pay.

The bond of Eben N. Perry as city constable, in the sum of $500, was approved.

Licenses were granted to store petroleum, subject to the report of the chief engineer, to J. W. Perkins & Co., in quantities not greater than 1,500 gallons, at Nos. 94 and 96 Commercial street: and to W. S. Jordan & Co., in quantities not exceeding 1,000 gallons, at No. 102 Commercial street.

Papers from the lower Board received concurrent action and the Board adjourned.

In Common Council.

Absent—Messrs. Parker and Spring.

Papers from the upper board passed in concurrence.

The records were read and approved.

Mr. Trefethen offered the petition of Henry Trefethen and 40 others that a street be laid out from Island avenue, on Peaks' Island, to the entrance to Pond Grove Cemetery. Referred and sent up.

Mr. Cushing offered the petition of J. A. Pratt and others for a light corner of Newbury and India streets.

In Joint Convention.

Eben N. Perry and Harry M. Milliken were elected city constables, and Henry Bullard a surveyor of lumber.

The salary of the city forester was fixed at $2 per day, when employed.

The Infantry's Excursion.

The Portland Light Infantry, with their past and honorary members, celebrated the company's 83d anniversary yesterday, by an excursion to Long Island. The party numbered about fifty, and left the armory at about 9 o'clock for the boat, headed by a drum corps. At the island the day was spent in the enjoyment of various sports and a shore dinner gotten up in the best of style. The honoraries showed that they could play ball as well as when they marched in the ranks, but the active members could play just about as well, and when the game was called at the end of the tenth inning to make way for the shooting match, the score stood 12 to 12. Private Kerr won in the shooting match by a score of 20 out of a possible 25. The company reached home at about 6 o'clock, and forming on the wharf marched to the armory after a successful and pleasant anniversary.

Arrival of the Sappho.

The Maine Central's elegant new steamer Sappho arrived here early last evening from Bath, having on board a number of the employes of the New England Shipbuilding Company, who had enjoyed a delightful sail in the beautiful boat they had helped to build. The party returned on the Pullman. The Sappho came up the harbor amid the salutes of the steamers lying near her course.

Real Estate Transfers.

The following transfers of real estate in this county have been recorded at the Registry of Deeds:

Standish—Frances A. Littlefield to B. E. Smith, land, $75.

Portland—Stephen A. Anderson to Charles W. T. Goding, land, $1 and other considerations.

MARRIAGES.

In Bridgton, May 29, Manson E Russell of Oxford and Miss Lizzie Dalton of Bridgton.

In Mechanic Falls, May 29, E. A. Strout of Poland Corner and Miss Ulrilda Tenney of Mechanic Falls.

In Turner, May 21, Lot D. Mayo and Miss Ellen W. Keen.

In Salisbury, Mass., June 5, at the residence of the bride's parents, N. Maude Atwood of Salisbury and John R. Parks of Portland. [No cards]

DEATHS.

In this city, June 7, Ebenezer D. Niles, aged 64 years.

[Prayers to-day at 2 P. M., at rear of 202 Washington street. Relatives and friends are invited to attend.

In this city, June 7, James R., son of Robert and the late Hannah M. Hamilton, aged 18 years.

In this city, June 8, William Dalton, aged 53 years.

[Notice of funeral hereafter.

In this city June 8, Mr. Carl Berrer, U. S. Assistant Engineer.

Notice of funeral hereafter.

In Deering, June 5, Mabel G., daughter of Leonard B. and Louisa Reed, aged 11 years 2 months

In East Deering, June 7, William J., youngest child of Robert and Ida A. Lucas, aged 1 year and 8 months.

[Funeral this Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.]

In Saccarappa, June 5, Cora H Hale, aged 27 years.

[Funeral at Universalist Church, to-day at 2 o'clock P. M.

In Livermore Falls, May 30, Mrs. Amanda Wendall, aged 28 years.

In North Turner, May 23, Elisha Keen, aged 62 years.

This is the Season

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Sold by all druggists. $1; six for $5. Prepared by C. I. HOOD & CO., Apothecaries, Lowell, Mass.

100 Doses One Dollar.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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SILK DEPARTMENT!

MARK DOWN SALE.

The great success of our Mark Down Sale of Dress Goods last week shows that our customers appreciate LOW PRICES, and we shall continue the sale this week so long as the goods last, but can promise no duplicates. We shall add this week a large line of DRESS SILKS, SATINS, RHADAMES, etc. We offer:

15 pieces	Colored Satins	21c yard
20 "	China Pongee Silk, all perfect	18c "
10 "	Black and White Summer Silks	25c "
12 "	Figured Foulard Silks	35c "
5 "	Plaid Surah Silks	75c "
8 "	Combination Jersey Silks,	1.00 "
7 "	26 inch Colored Surah Silks	75c "

EASTMAN BROS. & BANCROFT

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SUMMER OPENING!

Our Summer Opening of Pattern Hats and Bonnets will take place on

THURSDAY, JUNE 10,

at which time we shall display a choice line of novelties adapted to the season.

JOHN E. PALMER,

543 Congress St.

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THE BEST MUSIC

For Vacation Time at the Mountains, the Seaside, or in the Social Circle, Dixon Cox Music Boxes are an unfailing source of entertainment.

Vocal.
Minstrel Songs, Old and New. $2.00
College Songs, (With new popular songs) 50 cts.
War Songs, (Grand Army and Patriotic.) 50 cts.
Choice Vocal Duets, $1.00
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The last is a large sheet music size book, and all contain just the songs that make the time pass merrily in hotel parlors, boat rides and excursions.

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Piano Classics, Moderately difficult and very tasteful Piano Pieces. $1.00

For Summer Reading, there is nothing more delightfully fresh and fascinating than

The Letters of Mozart, (2 vols. each $1.25).
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Beethoven's Letters, $1.50
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These, with the various lives of the great tone masters, are most valuable as well as interesting, and should be in every public library.

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RAPID ICE CREAM FREEZER.

The very best freezer in in the market. Be sure and examine before purchasing. Also we have

THE WHITE MOUNTAIN FREEZER

at Low Prices.

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ORDER FOR ELECTION.

P. M. B's.

THE members of Co. n., 1st Regiment, M. V. M., are ordered to appear at the armory, Friday Evening, June 11, at 7½ o'clock in full dress uniform for election of captain. Per order,

je8d1t J. R. MARSH, Sergt and Clerk.

FORCED SALE

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LACES!

— AT —

Turner Bros.'

Entire Stock of Laces to be Sold at a Great Sacrifice.

An opportunity for Ladies to secure Laces that we have not seen equalled. We give a few prices, showing reduction:

Hand made Wool Flouncing $1.00, former price $6.00.
Silk and Wool Laces reduced from $1.00 to 50 cents.
Orientals reduced from 75 to 25 cents.
Pompadour reduced from $1.25 to 50 cents.
One lot reduced from 50 to 15 cents.
Silk Laces reduced from 88 to 50 cents.
Others in proportion.
Also one lot of Ladies' Shopping Bags reduced from $1.00 to 25 cents.
Chambray Pattern Dresses at less than cost.
Novelty Dress Goods at less than cost.
44 inch Black Cashmere 50 cents.
44 inch Black French Cord 60 cents.
23 inch Foulard Silks 37 1-2 cents, nearly all sold.
1 lot more of 24 inch Fancy Colored Plush $1.50, sold elsewhere at $2.50.
We desire to greatly reduce our entire stock and special prices will be made in all departments.

488 and 490

Congress St.

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PROHIBITION CAUCUSES.

The New-Party Prohibitionists of Portland are requested to meet

Wednesday Evening, June 9, at 7.30 O'clock,

as follows: Wards 1 and 2 in the Ward Room of Ward 1 (engine house, Congress and North Sts.); Wards 3 and 4 in the Ward Room of Ward 3 (basement of City Building); Wards 5, 6 and 7 in the Ward Room of Ward 6 (engine house on Spring street); to choose five delegates from each ward to attend the Prohibition State Convention to be held in City Hall, Portland, June 16th and 17th.

The delegates so chosen are requested to meet at Prohibition Headquarters, 191 Middle street, Thursday Evening, June 10, at 7.30 o'clock, to choose two delegates at large to attend the State Convention.

Per order Prohibition City Committee,
GEO. L. KIMBALL, Chairman.
C. T. LIBBY, Secretary. je4d5t

WHITE MOUNTAIN Ice Cream Freezers.

2 quart, $2.00 each.
3 " 2.50 "
4 " 3.00 "
6 " 4.00 "

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Wanted.

AN energetic Irishman of push to introduce the "Treasury of Irish Eloquence" in this city. The work is illustrated with several fine portraits of eminent Irishmen and sells rapidly; to a capable person we will offer a liberal inducement or weekly salary of $15. Apply to

MURPHY & McCARTHY,
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Notice.

ALL persons are hereby cautioned against harboring or trusting any of the crew of the Norwegian Bark "Zgir," Ingvoldsen, master, from Porto Rico, as no debts of their contracting will be paid by captain or consignees.

je8d3t CHASE, LEAVITT & CO,

Annual Meeting.

THE annual meeting of Stockholders of the Cumberland Bone Co., will be held at the office of the company, No. 2½ Union Wharf, Portland, on TUESDAY, June 15th at 3.00 p. m.

je8dtd F. D. ELLIS, Treas.

WE, he undersigned Insurance Agents and Members of the Portland Board of Fire Underwriters agree to close our offices for business from henceforth to September 1st, 1886, at 4 o'clock P. M.

Dow, Coffin & Shurtleff, W. D. Little & Co.,
Prentiss Loring, Wm. Allen, Jr.,
Sterling Dow, Warren Sparrow & Co.,
Morse & Pinkham, Rollins & Adams,
J. H. Winslow, Nath'l Rand,
Chas. A. Sparrow, Albert Marwick,
John E. Dow & Co., John W. Munger,
Palmer & Anderson, Augustus Champlin.

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FOR SALE—Great bargains in farms, houses, hotels, boarding and lodging houses, restaurants, groceries, fruit, confectionery, millinery, variety and drug stores, and manufacturing business at all prices, from $130 to $12,000. Call and see what we offer in any business. MAINE REAL ESTATE & BUSINESS AGENCY, 45 Exchange street. 8-1

FOR SALE—Farm of 100 acres, (extra soil,) fine orchard, good house, barn and buildings complete; all farming tools, horses, wagons, hogs, hens, &c.; sell low; small amount down, balance easy terms; bargain. MAINE REAL ESTATE & BUSINESS AGENCY, 45 Exchange St. 8-1

FOR SALE—Confectionery, fruit and cigar store, paper route and laundry agency connected, fine location for trade, only $300, worth $500, best chance of this kind in Portland, rooms connected, low rent. MAINE REAL ESTATE & BUSINESS AGENCY, 45 Exchange St. 8-1

HALF INTEREST in good light manufacturing business, the present owner is doing a good business, but wishes to increase the business. A good temperate reliable man needed more than money. MAINE REAL ESTATE & BUSINESS AGENCY, 45 Exchange St. 8-1

WANTED—The people of Portland and Biddeford to know that Madam Johnson, the celebrated medical and business clairvoyant, of Boston, is still at 56 Free street, excepting Fridays and Saturdays, when she may be found at Moul's Hotel, Biddeford, Me. 8-1

WANTED—A young lady or gentleman, who attends school, and who has their afternoons, to do some writing, one who has some knowledge of bookkeeping preferred. Apply at EVENING EXPRESS office, 55 Union St. 8-1

FOR SALE—Barber shop, furniture consisting of chairs, stove, kettle, work benches, hanging rack, lamps, mirrors, table, sink, &c. Call at JOHNSON'S Hair Dressing Room, 276 Congress street. 8-1

WANTED—An American woman to do plain cooking in a small boarding house; one that has a home in Deering preferred. Apply at 41 BROWN ST. 8-1

WANTED—To buy $1,000 cast off Clothing of all kinds. Highest cash price paid. Call or address immediately, MR. S. LEVY, 97 Middle St., Portland, Me. 8-1

LOST—A locket, saturday, June 5th, either on St. Lawrence, Fore or Commercial Sts. The finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving it at the PRESS OFFICE.

TO LET—First class tenement at No. 154 CLARK ST. Seven rooms and bath room; all modern conveniences; pleasant and desirable. 8-1

WANTED—A laster for kid work; a good job for the right man. SHAW, GODING & CO., 160 Middle street. 8-1

WANTED—A first-class man to work on a farm in Cape Elizabeth. Inquire of W. R. ANTHOINE, 48 Exchange St., Portland. 8-1

$10 REWARD—To the person that took violin from office on Long Wharf, by returning same. No question asked. E. A. CHASE. 8-1

TO LET—Suite of furnished